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1672-1706.

A COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF THE TOWN MEETING AND SELECTMEN'S RECORDS CONTAINED IN BOOK FIVE OF THE GENERAL RECORDS OF THE TOWN,

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CONTENTMENT

INTRODUCTION.

This is the Fifth Volume of the Ancient Records of the Town of Dedham, Mass., which have been printed pursuant to votes of the town.

This book reproduces the record book known as Book Five, and is a continuation of the general records of the town and of the selectmen from the end of Book Three, the last published volume of ancient records.

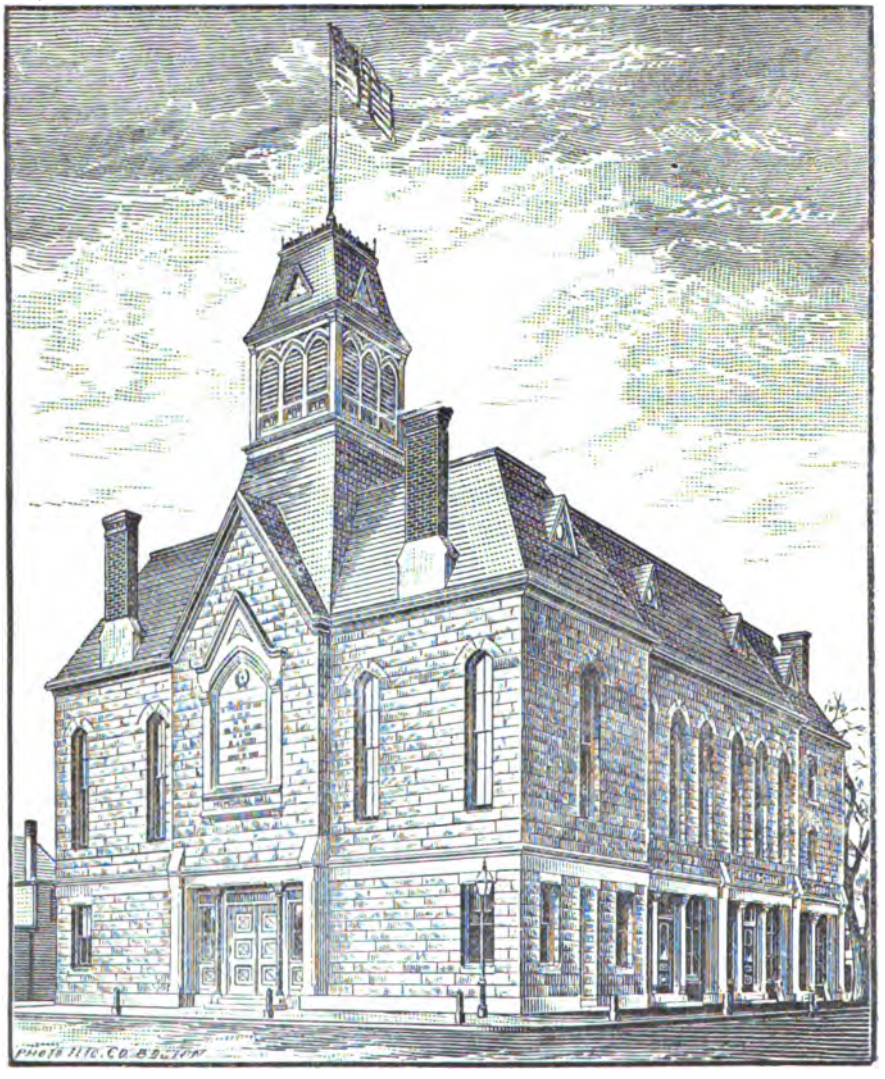
This book contains a large number of tables of tax assessments. The tables found in the first one hundred and ninety-two pages have here been reproduced in table form, but from that point the tables and figures have been omitted from the printed pages, but all the names found in the table have been printed.

It would perhaps have been more satisfactory if the plan adopted in the former printed volumes had been continued throughout this volume, but there was great difficulty, in many cases, in reading the figures where one figure appeared to have been written directly over one previously made, and it was impossible to determine which figure was written last, and furthermore the expense of printing in table form is very much greater and the few who may wish to see the tables themselves, would in many cases prefer to see the original. For these reasons we made the change of plan in the middle of this volume.

For explanations of the characters here used, we refer to the introductions to the previously printed volumes of Dedham Records.

Don Gleason Hill

Town Clerk.



MEMORIAL HALL,
Containing Town Offices and Town Records.

DEDHAM TOWN RECORDS.

BOOK FIVE.

[1] At a generall meting of Towne 1th 11 72:

The select mens acts of the yeare past beinge read are excepted

Thomas Fullar is deputed to wright the acts of this present meeting.

1 The question being put whither the Towne will chuse a comity to joyne with the Deacon in the disposinge of the mony raysed for the maintenance of the minestry. Voated in the affirmatiue and three to be of this comitie the persons chosen are Eld Hunting En Dan Fisher Sar Wil Auery.

2 The second proposition is left to the select men this day to be chosen to be acted accordingly

3 It being put to voat whither the Towne will chose a comity to treat wit mr Adams about bying or building him a house: voated: in the afarmattiue and thre to be of this comity the persons: chousen are En Dan Fisher Sar Will Auery: and Timo Dwight

4 It was voated that the Towne acts that concerned Wollomonopoge shall be keept destinct from the acts of Dedham Towne by the selectmen this day: to be chousen and entred in thier booke

5 The care of clearing the Townes intrest in thier land vpland and meaddow neere the saw Mill or elce whear is left to the select men this day to be choosen:

6 Granted to John Rice: fower fiue or six acres of land one the south west side of a Brooke comonly called the Mill Brooke to build vpon Nat Fisher Hen Wight and Tho Battely are deput to lay out this grant with as littel damage to the persons as may be:

7 Sar Richard Elic is deputed to asist in the roome of John Haiward to vew a parcel of land granted vnto Samuel Milles: at the generall meet [ ] 1 11 71

8 The question: being whither the Towne will chose a recorder for the year insuing it was voated in the negitiue

Elections are as foloweth Eld: John Hunting: En Dan Fisher Sar Will Auery Tim Dwight Sir Ric Elic Hen Wight Sar Tho Fullar, Select men

Nat Colburn Seni Tho Payne Senor Tho Metcalf Tho Battely Tho Thurston Jam Vales, Surveyers

9 The care of the Town Bookes: and the wrighting the Towne acts is le[ ] vnto the select men:

En Dan Fisher is chosen Clarke of the writs:

10 Granted vnto Caleb Church about halfe an acre of vpland his House standing vpon part of it to be layd out at the discrestion: of Isaac Bulard: and Jams Vales:

11 Granted vnto Tho Fullar one small parcell of vpland adjoyninge to the lott of that was John Kingsburyes: to be layd out and [ ] by: Cor Fisher and Daniel Pond

[2] 6 11 72 Asembled Eld John Hunting Sar Will Auery Sar Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

1 This day is taken in to considration the making the Schoole rate: for the paying of m^r Samuel Man: and m^r Jer Burroughs and to defray other Towne charges:

2 The Decon and John Aldus: com to informe vs of some shortnesse in the coming in of the mony for contribution for the mayntinenc of the minestery: whearby the select men deput John Aldus: to: asist the Deacon: to recaiue of each inhabitant according to thier proportion thier seuerall sumes asesed in the rate for the minestry:

15 11 72 Asembled in the afternoon Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Sar Rich Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

3 To finish the schoole and Towne rate befor entred vpon:

4 Granted liberty: to Nat Colburn to remoue his grant formerly made: 1 11 69 to the southerdly end of Edw Richard lott in pond playne to be layd out by the men formerly deputed

En Dan Fisher is deputed to procure a Booke for to enter the Townes and select mens acts.

5 It is further agreed that the regester shall be transcribed at the Townes charge.

6 A rate made for the payment m^r Man and twenty pounds to m^r Borrougs Schoole masters: whear in each schoolar is asesed at six shillings: sixpenc a schoolar: the one halfe to be payd in mony: and ratable at one peny halfe peny for pound one quarter part to be payd in mony: the ouerplus to defray Towne charges: and to pay mony: formerly borrowed for the Townes vse:

Eld John Hunting	0	6	9	Ed Richards	0	16	8¼
Deco Nat Aldus	0	1	10½	Chri Smith	0	6	9
En Dan Fisher	0	10	9	Josep Kingsbury Sen	0	7	2
m^rs Lusher	0	6	7	Lam Chinery	0	2	0½
Vid Chickring	0	4	9	Nat Whiting	1	6	3
Ric Euerit	0	9	2	Sar Will Auery	0	10	5
John Gay	0	17	3	Sar Nat Starns	0	13	4½

Sar Ric Elic	0	17	7½	Rob Onion	0	0	3
Tho Fullar	1	0	5	Josep Kingsbury jun	0	3	0
Timo Dwight	1	9	1½	Ralp Freeman	0	10	2
Rob Fullar	0	14	0	John Baker	0	1	8
Nat Colburn Seno	1	1	3	Mica Metcalf	0	3	2
John Aldus	1	3	3	Ezra Morse	0	8	2½
John Farington	1	1	11	John Hunting	0	4	10½
Hen Wilson	0	6	7½	John Rice	0	4	11½
[Hen] Wight	0	8	9	Jams Vales	0	9	9
Nat Fisher	0	8	8	Nat Heaton	0	3	9½
John Guild	0	8	6	John Pigge	0	8	3½
John Bacon	1	6	10	Tho Aldridg	0	10	2½
Tho Battely	0	9	9	Nat Chickring	0	2	7
Tho Jurdin	0	5	0	Cal Church	0	4	5
Isaac Bulard	0	4	0	John Houghton	0	3	4½
Nat Bulard	0	7	10½	Nat Colburn jun	0	3	0
Josh Fisher	0	13	7½	Ase : Smith	0	1	9
Vid Haiward	0	11	7	John : Ware	0	4	6
Dan Pond	0	19	3	Sam : Euerit	0	3	1½
Sam Hunting	0	1	9	Jona : Metcalf	0	0	4½
Rob Ware	0	15	10½	John Littelfield	0	1	1½
Tho Payn Seno	0	12	0½	Sam Sheers	0	4	0
John Mason	0	6	10½	John Eaton	0	3	2
Tho Metcalfe	0	9	0	John Eauerit	0	5	1½
Vid Elice	0	8	1	Vid Kent	0	1	7
Tho Hering	0	13	9	John Macantosh	0	8	3
John Fairbank Sen	0	15	10½	Jams Macanab	0	3	4½
Sam Fisher	0	4	0	Jams Grant	0	2	8
Edw. Hawes	0	12	4½	Jams Macarory	0	9	9
Sam Milles	0	8	4	Nil Maciah	0	2	1½
Cor Fisher	0	11	9	Dan Maciah	0	1	9
Ralp Day	0	6	6	Tho Thurston	0	3	0
[3]				Tho Clap	0	11	6
Jam Thorp	0	11	4	Tho Payne june	0	1	4½
And Duin	0	16	9	Josep Skelton	0	1	0
Jona Fairbank	1	2	8	John Fairbank			
Tho Fisher	0	3	2	Will Mecany			
Pet Woodward	0	15	4½	Mic Wilson			
Sam Gay	0	12	4½	Eph Indin			

1 At a generall meting of the Towne 27 11 72 it being taken into considration whither thay will chose a comity : to treat with som workeman or workemen : about the charge of buildinge a new meting house or repayering the old and make thier returne to the Towne : the third 12 72 :

It was voated in the afirmatiue: and that day appoynted for a generall Towne Meeting: to recaiue the returne of the comity: the persons chosen are En Dan Fisher Ser Auery: John Gay: Ser Elic and Timo Dwight

2 3 12 72: At a generall meeting of the inhabitace: after much debat it was propouded to the Towne whither thay would build or erect a new meetinge: house it was concluded by generall consent that the inhabitace should bringe in thier voats: with whit corne for the afirmitiue and by red corne for the negitiue: which shall desid the qustion the major part ware for the afirmaytiue by thier voat

3 The Towne by voat declar them selus to leaue the consomating of the bargin with the workemen and the dementions of the sayd house to the select men now in beinge: and also desire John Fairbank Seno Jonath Fairbank John Aldus to joyne with them:

4 The inhabitanc at pocomtick by Sam Hinsdel desire that a company of meet persons: thierabout be chosen: and invested with all such poure nesesary for the well ordering of the afires: of that place this being taken in to considration: the fiue men vnder named are chosen to be the comity: m^r Petter Tilton Liut Sam Smith Liut Alice good Willard Sam Hinsdel

[4] 1 It being put to voat whither the billes should be taken in the 3th month for the charge of the new metinge house: it passed in the afirmitiue and that the rate shall be made the latter end of the 3th or 4th moth for one halfe of the pay: that will be due when the: worke is accomplished according to couenant: this passed in the afirmatiue:

2 The question being put whither the: defrainge the charges of buildinge the meeting house shall be raysed: by the same rule that the country rate is excepting that Horses and sheepe shall be abated one third part: and that all ratable estat shall be doubled and that no parson aboue sixteen yeares: shall be excepted excpet the select men shall se mateteriall cause for it voated in the afirmitiue

3 It is also agreed by voat that the milles shall be abated on third part

4 The question being put to the Towne whither thay will giue that which our neighbours adjoyning: to vs of Roxbury: towards the meting house to the worke men: Dan Pond and John Baker this passed in the afirmitiue:

5 A bill is giuen to Ralph Day: to recaiue fiue shillings on the constables A bill is giuen to Edw Richards: to recaiue of the constables in mony: one poud twelue shillings

10 12 72 Asembled the select men and the comity: Eld John Hunting En Fisher Ser Will Auery Sir Rich Elic Hen Wight Tho Fullar John: Fairbank Jona: Fairbank John Aldus Cor Fisher

6 To treat and conclud with Daniell Pond and John Baker: about the

dementions of the new meetinging: house and to draw vp an instrument betwin Dan Pond and John Baker of the one party and the Towne one the other party. which accordingly was done and subscribed one all partyes:

7 The yonge men be called that care might be taken for thier setelment accordinge: to law: Elic Wood is alowed to soiourn with John Richards: Nat Heaton with the Vid Chickring: and John Dean with John Gay: Jona Metcalfe: with his father Smith: Rob Alin with Micall Metcalfe and John Fullar juner with his father and

17 12 72 Asembled after noone: Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

A bill is giuen to En Dan Fisher to recaiue of the constables 5£ 2s 6d in full satisfaction for charges: for dyet: as deputys

A bill is giuen: to En Dan Fisher to recaiue of the constables: for his salry: for the year paste 3£–0^{s}–0^{d} and more: in the same bill to be payd him in mony 8^{s} for mony: he lay: out for the Towne

A bill is giuen to En Dan.Fisher t executor: to m^{rs} Lusher's estat to recaiue of the constab 11^{s} in mony: which was lent by the honoured maioir Lusher for the vse of the Towne

[5] 1 Hen Wight is deputed to recaiue the rent of the: meadow lett to Mendon men for the year past and be accountable to the Towne for it and is heer by impoured to lett the meadow for 2 years next insuinge

2 Ser Richard Elic: Nat Colburn and Nat Fisher are deputed to cleare the Townes intrest neere the Saw Mill: and to make thier returne to the select men:

Tho Fullar is deput to keept the Towne Bookes:

3 Nat Colburn: Ser Ric Elic and Nat Fisher is deputed to new marke the line betwen Dedham and Medfield: with men: alike deput by Medfield select men also betwen Dedham: and Netick giuing notice to the seuerall Townes according to law:

24 12 72 Asembled after noone: Eld John Hunting: En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar Nat Colburn is choosen sealer for the year insuing

4 Men chosen to vew fences: within the precincts of the Towne one the east sid of the way leading from the key: to 1 pond John Farington and Isaac Bullard: one the west side of that foresayd way: John Gay: and John Bacon for Roxbury playn Ser Ric Elic and John Aldus: for Naponsit playn and the other field: in that parte of the Towne Jams Thorpe: and John Euerd for Rock field and the other fields in that part of the Towne Ed Richards: and Nath Colburn for the schoole ground and the rest of the fields thier about Rob. Ware and Tho Payne Seno: for Ed Richards farme and the fields: to Natick ward: Hen Wight and Nath Fisher

5 Men appoynted to burne the woods for the Iland An Duine: for the

East street Jam Thorp: for the middle and smoth playne Tho Fisher and Nat Heaton:

6 A bill is giuen to Henery Wight to recaiue of the constables 13s 3d for mony disbursed and new marking of Mendon line and Watertow and other saruic for the Towne.

7 A bill is giuen vnto mr Samuell Man to recaiue of the constable 8£ 10s 0 in full satisfaction for all dues to him for keeping the schoole in Deadham this is to be payd in Indin corrne at 3s per bushel

8 A motion is made: for mr Samu Man that some may be deputed to lay out a house lot for him at Wolomanopoge:

Ser Tho Thurston: Henery Wight and Thomas Fullar are deputed and inpoured to lay out a lott for mr Sam Man: and to take care about the Church lott thier:

9 John Thurston and Sam Sheers: are appoynted for to vew fences this year insueing

10 A bill is giuen to mr Borroughs to recaiue of the constables 3£ 5s 0 and 3£ 1s 0 on half in Indin corne and the other halfe in english grain

11 A bill is giuen vnto Tho Aldridg to recaiue of the constables 6s 2d for asisting in new marking the line betwen Dedham and Mendon

12 Sam Barber is alowed to soiourn with Micall Metcalfe

[6] 1 The select men do appoynt the sixt day of the next weeke being 7 day 1 mon for a generall meeting of the inhabitace at 8 of the clock in the morning to consider of some things in referanc to the new meting House: A Bill is giuen to the Vid Elic to recaiue of the constables due to her for dyeting of mr Borrougs the present schoole master:

7 1 73 At a generall meting of the inhabitanc

2 Sam Hinsdell in the behalfe of the inhabitanc of pecomtick: and the propriators: thier present thier request that the Towne of Dedham would consider thier case and the dificultyes that are vpon them by reasone of thier remoatnes: from the plac whear the poure of ordring of prudentiall do reside: and to do some thing: that may further thier setlement:

3 In Answer thier vnto: the Towne haue chosen thier trusty and well-beloued and much esteemed freind: mr Peter Liut Sam Smith: Liut Alice Richard Wilard: and Sam Hinsdel to be a comity for that place: and haue betrusted and impoured them accordingly: as first to alow of sutable inhabitanc by purchis or other wise secondly: to order thier herding: cattel and regolating: swine: 3 to make orders about fence: 4ly: that this comity: and the inhabitanc thier with the aduice of the Elders of the 2 neighboring: churches: shall haue liberty to procure: an orthodox Minester to dispenc the word of god amogst them:

Sam Hinsdell is chosen constable for that place

28 1 73 Asembled in the after noone: Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Timo Dwight Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Tho Fullar

4 Men deputed to joyne: with such as Dorchester shall be appoynt to rune or new marke the line betwixt Dorchester and Deadham:

Nath Fisher Tho Metcalfe: and Tho Aldridge:

Hen Eliot is alowed to soiourn in the Towne for one month prouided he doth behaue him selfe as he aught to do:

29 3 73 Asembled to make the ratte for the first payment to the meeting House Eld John Hunting Ser Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

24: 4: 73 Asembled after noon to perfict the meeting House rate

En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

[7] 24 4 73 A rate: mad for paying of the first payment Don Pond and John Ba[ ] for building of the new meeting House whear is asesed vpon persons and ratable estat 3d vpon the poud:

Eld John Huntinge	0	16	6	Tho Payn Seno	1	14	1
De: Nat Aldus	0	4	10½	Rob Ware	1	16	0
John Gay	2	15	3	John Aldus	1	14	1½
Pet Woodward	2	11	6	Nat Colburn	2	0	5
Ric Euerit	1	16	0	Nat Whiting	2	9	0
Ed Richards	2	13	5	Tho Hering	1	3	1½
Lam Chinery	0	3	0	John Guild	1	13	0
Josep Kingsbury	2	1	6	Jam Thorp	0	18	1½
En Dan Fisher	1	16	1½	Tho Metcalfe	1	6	0
Ser Will Auery	2	10	7	Jona Fairbank	1	6	3
Ser Nat Starns	0	17	0	Rob Fullar	1	11	3½
Ser Ric Elic	0	15	6	John Baker	0	9	1
Ser Dan Pond	1	2	7	Sam Gay	0	17	6
Ser Ralp Day	1	10	3½	Rob Onion	0	1	0
Christ Smith	1	6	10	Cor Fisher	0	15	3
Timo Dwight	2	19	6	John Richards	0	19	7½
Hen Wight	2	0	3	vid Morse	0	1	4½
John Farington	2	14	6	vid Kent	0	2	3
John Fairbank Seno	1	9	0	vid Elic	0	3	1½
Tho Battely:	1	16	3	mrs Liud Fisher	0	1	3
Isacc Bulard	0	15	3	mr Chickring	0	10	0
Nat Bulard	1	1	3	mr Alines Estat	0	5	0
Hen Wilson	1	4	2	Asel Smith	0	9	0
John Bacon	1	15	10½	Nat Gay	01	11	5
Tho Jurdin	0	12	4	John Mason	1	1	4
Nat Fisher	1	6	7½	John Eaton	0	16	8

John Ric	0	18	5	John Dean	0	5	0
John Pigge	1	2	4	Will Dean	0	5	0
John Euerit	0	16	0	Sam Barber	0	5	10
Sam Euerit	0	13	7½	Elic Wood	0	5	6
John Fairbank Juner	0	12	6	Nat Colburn Juner	0	13	0
Tho Fisher	0	13	10	Ezr Morse	0	11	10½
Sam Milles	1	13	5	Eph Morse	0	5	0
And Duin	1	17	0	Jam Vales	0	19	9
John Hunting	0	14	1	Tho Clap	0	16	3
Tho Payn Juner	0	7	7	John Houghton	0	8	4½
Mical Metcalf	1	2	0	Caleb Church	0	10	1½
Tho Aldridg	1	12	8	Sam Parker	0	14	9
John Eullar Seno	0	14	10	Jose Skelton	0	7	4
Jam Grant	0	9	10½	vid Haiward	0	5	3
Jam Macanab	0	11	3	Tho Fullar	1	14	4
Jam Macorory:	0	10	0	Mr Phelps Estat	0	2	0
John Macantosh	0	12	9	Sam Aldridg	0	1	3
Dan Maciah	0	9	6	Hen Duin	0	1	5
Ralp Freeman	0	16	3	Sary and Hester Judson	0	2	4½
Will Auery Juner	0	1	5½	John Thurston	0	0	9
Ed Hawes	1	2	7	Tho Boyden	0	3	0
Don Fisher	0	8	1	Tho Wight	0	1	6
Nat Chickring	0	11	1½	Sam Wight	0	1	0
Nat Heaton	0	9	1	John Fullar Sener	0	5	10
Rob Alin	0	5	0	Hen Eliot	0	5	0
Jona Metcalf	0	5	0	Tho Bishop	0	6	1

[8] 1 Vpon the motion of En Dan Fisher the church meaddow is lett vnto him that doth ly: vpon Charles Riuer for 3 loades of Hay in that year for to be payd for the vse of Mr Adams:

the Church lott in Rocke meadow is leatt vnto Hen Wight for this present year for 1s—6d

Ser Elic is desired to improu or dispose of the Church lotts at Foule meaddow: this present year:

2 The select men considring the great charge the Towne is at by: Vid Dunkly and childdren do order that if she do not dispose of her yongest daughter with in one moth: that then John Gay: Hen Wight and Thom Battely are impoured to dispose of her for yeare at the Townes Charge not exceding £3—0—0 in some godly family: whear she may: be well educated and prouided for:

3 John Gay: Nath Fisher Isacc Bulard and John Bacon are deputed to inquire into the Townes stock of Amvnition: that it may be knowne what remayn and whear it is

30 5 73: Asembled at night Eld John Huntinge: En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery: Hen Wight Tho Fullar

Tho Fullar is deputed to take a bond: of Tho Payne Juner for the Indemnity of the Towne: by his man: Dan Gardener:

4: 6: 73 Asembled: Eld John Huntinge En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ser Rich Elic Timo Dwight Tho Fullar

Vpon sight of warant from athority: whear in the comity of the militia: are required: to put the soldiers: in a poster of ware and finding: the Towne defctiue of a stoock of pouder bulets: and mach: it is thierfor agreed to make a rate for the leauing of so much pay: as will procur so much amonition as the law: require: En Dan Fisher Timothy Dwight and Tho Fullar are desired to procure: this amonition afore: sayd:

2 6 73: Asembled after noone En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar

Recaiued of John Aldus 20^{s} in mony: for the remainder of the Towne stocke of old pouder which is put in to the hands of Ser Auery:

4 Agreed to call the inhabitac together to choose a comity to the preportion of sixty pouds: for the maintinanc of the minestry: when the fremen shall meete to chose: a comitioner for the country rate:

5 A motion being made that some might be deputed to take care to lower the water in Charles riuer: Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Nath Colburn Timo Dwight and Sam Milles: are desired to take a vew of the riuer at the or elce: whear: and: make a report: to the Towne what thay judge most probable: to atayn the end premised:

Tho Fullar is deputed to take into his cvstody the Towns: Amonition and to dispose of it from time to time as he shall haue order from the selectmen:

6 Tho Fullar is ordred to giue Mr Boroughs a bill to recaiue of constables the remainder of the pay due to him for keeping of the schoole:

7 18 6 73: At a generall meting of the inhabitanc Nath Fisher is chosen comitiner for the country rate this present year En Dan Fisher: Ser Will Auery Ser Starns: Timo Dwight and Tho Fullar are chosen as a comity to make i proportion of sixty: pounds: for the maintinanc of the minestry:

8 It is also agreed that this proportion: shall be mad according to the rules: formerly: acted in like case

[9] 25 6 73 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight Hen Wight Tho Fullar Nath Fisher comitioner

1 vpon: the complaynt of Nat Whitinge: that Ezr Morse do not atend the Towne order refering: to the haight of water at mill whear fore: we haue chosen Ser Will Auery. Ser Day: and Ser Fullar to inquire into the full stat of that cace: whear by thay may make report vnto the select men what is

nesesary to be done in that case: who are also: deputed to hear the complaint of Tho Heringe refering to the fence ouer the mill dam:

2 28 6 73 A bill is giuen to Mr Boroughs to recaiue of the constable 10£—0^s—0^d: 3£—5^s—0^d in mony: 6£—15^s—0^d in corne for the full discharge of his years salery for keeping the schoole:

3 29 7 73 At a generall meeting: the Towne considring what to do for Mr William Adams in order to his settelment amongest vs: it is by generall consent agreed and we doe here: by: ingage our selues: heyers: and succers: vnto the sayd Mr Will Adams: he taking: ofice in the Church heere: to pay: or cause to be payd: to him or his order the full and just sume of one hundred pouds in mony: or such other pay as: shall be equelent to mony: towrds the purchisinge of a place: for habitation: and this to be payd to Mr Will Adams vpon demand prouided he doth giue: 3 mon^th: warning:

4 10 73: Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery: Ser Ric Elic Timo. Dwight Hen: Wight Tho: Fullar

4 The comity impoured by: the generall Court to order the prudentialls of Wrentham: being met desired the select men to deliuer the booke that concarne that Towne in to thier cvstody: which accoringly we haue done Samuel Fisher ingaging: that what is due to the Excectors: or heyers: of Mrs Lusher shall be payd in due time:

5 5 10 73 Reconed with Nath Whiting and Sam Hunting constables in the year 71 for the ouer plus: of the country: rate: and for the Schoole rate for that year and accounts being cleared betwine the constables and Towne: remaynnge one onely 2^d–½ by vs Dan Fisher Hen Wight Tho Fullar

8 10 73 Asembled to make the Country rate: En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight and Hen Wight Tho Fullar

6 A bill is giuen vnto Sam Hunting to recaiue of the constables tenn shillings out of the next Towne rate for killing of a woolfe in the year 70

7 Ser Elic is deputed to take care of the Towne rights: in the stead of Liut Fisher disceased neer Samuel Milles: in wast: meaddows:

8 The Deacon coming this day: and informing that seuerall persons are behind in paying thier preportion to the maintinanc of the minestry: the yere past whear vpon we haue desired: Ser Elic Nath Fisher and John Aldus to call all such persons: the 29 of this Instant to reckon: with them and gather in that pay: that the old account may be cleered: that the comity may giue an account at the meetinge

9 A bill is giuen to Dan Pond to recaiue of the constables 47£ 5^s 0^d out of the meeting house rate:

10 A bill is giuen to John Barker to recaiue of the constables out of the meeting house rate 47£-5-0

[10] A rate made at two penc per poud: to defray: country: rate: Castell and Towne charges:

Eld John Hunting	0	10	10
Dec Nat Aldus	0	2	6
En Dan Fisher	0	18	9
Pet Woodward	1	6	8
Jose Kingsbry Seno	1	1	7
John Gay	1	13	5½
Rich Euerit	1	4	2
Ed Richards	1	10	2
Timo Dwight	1	10	8
Ser Will Auery	1	2	3
Nath Colburn Seno	1	6	4
Nath Whiting	1	9	5
John Fairbanke Seno	1	0	9½
Tho Payne Seno	0	15	8½
Rob Ware	1	0	11½
Rob Fullar	0	17	9½
Tho Metcalfe	0	15	8½
Tho Battely	1	0	9
Nath Fisher	0	11	2
Tho Jurdin	0	10	6
John Guild	0	18	5
An Duin	1	4	7
Sam Milles	1	3	11½
Ser Ric Elic	0	13	1
Ser Nath Starnes	0	14	0
John Bacon	1	2	1
Ser Ralp Day	01	0	2
Ser Dan Pond	0	14	1
Vid Haiward	0	4	4½
Tho Hearinge	0	17	7
John Farington	1	10	8½
Hen Wilson	0	14	11
Ed Hawes	0	14	4
Rob Onion	0	0	7
Ralp Freeman	0	11	2
John Rice	0	12	9½
John Houghton	0	8	8
Dan Fisher	0	10	8
Jam Vales	0	16	6
Jam Thorp	0	10	5½
Isac Bulard	0	10	4
Nath Bulard	0	13	2½
Sam Fisher	0	8	9

Sam Sheers	0	8	5
Tho Fisher	0	8	6
Nath Heaton	0	6	0
Jona Fairbank	0	14	7½
Ca Church	0	10	5½
Tho Fullar	1	0	5½
John Fairbank Junr	0	9	2½
Mic Wilson	0	6	4
Hen Wight	1	5	4
Vid Chickring	0	5	5
Josh Fisher	0	10	8
Tho Aldridg	1	1	8½
Chri : Smith	0	17	6
Jona Fullar	0	4	2
Will Auery	0	9	9
John Pigge	0	16	9
John Mason	0	12	5
Mica Metcalf	0	12	0
Vid Elic	0	2	8
John Richards	0	9	11
Will Macany	0	11	4
Sam Parker	0	10	3
Sam Hunting	0	0	2
John Euerid	0	10	7½
John Hunting	0	11	2
Jam Grant	0	6	10
Jam Macnab	0	8	1
Sam Gay	0	10	10
Tho Clape	0	12	0
John Macantosh	0	7	6
Jam Macarory	0	7	11
John Eaton	0	8	8
Ezr Morse	0	9	4
Sam Euerid	0	7	10
Sam Gay	0	11	5
Tho Thurston	0	10	10
John Ware	0	8	4
John Litll Fild	0	7	6
Sam Aldridg	0	1	2
John Fullar Seno	0	9	7
John Baker	0	6	0
Asel Smith	0	7	5
Elic Wood	0	3	4

Dan Fisher	0	5	5	John Dean	0	3	4
Nath Chickring	0	8	2	Sam Barber	0	4	2
Nath Colburn	0	8	6	Tho Bishop	0	5	5
Tho Payne	0	7	0	John Fullar Junor	0	5	6
Nill Maciah	0	7	2	Hen Eliot	0	4	2
Dan Maciah	0	6	5	John Aldus	1	3	3
Jose Skelton	0	5	3	Jos Kingsbury	0	10	4
Eph Morse	0	4	8	Eph Indin	0	4	2
Jona Metcalfe	0	5	0	Sar [ ] Judson	00	0	11

[11] 29 10 73 Asembled Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Rich Elic Timo Dwight Tho Fullar

A bill is giuen to En Dan Fisher to recaiue of the constables 3£—3ˢ—11ᵈ for deputye: dyet

A bill is giuen to En Dan Fisher to recaiue of the constables for deputy alownc 3£—0ˢ—0ᵈ

A bill is giuen to Nath Fisher to recaiue of the constables for new marking the lines betwen Dorchester Dedham and Medfield: and other saruice for the Towne 15ˢ—0—0.

Liberty is granted vnto John Dean and Jona Metcalfe to sojorn at the House of Ser Ralp Day

The Towne is debtor to Cornelious: Fisher for mending fenc about the church: lott 3ˢ—0—0

M John Chickring payd to the Towne 2£—0ˢ—0ᵈ a gift that Decon Chickr[ ] gaue to the Towne whic 2£—0ˢ—0ᵈ pounds is payd to the administerator of Liut Fishers Estat and thier remaine due to that estat 5ˢ—6ᵈ

Due to Ser Will Auery for one sheepe improued for the raysinge of the meeting House: 8ˢ

Ser Will Auery: layd out for mach 12ˢ—6ᵈ and deliuered to En Dan Fisher: more 7ˢ—6 toward a barill of pouder

Recaiued of Samuel Mills in mony 15ˢ that was payd to En Dan towrds on barill of pouder

En Dan Fisher payd for on barill pouder for the Townes vse 6£—10ˢ—ᵈ

Due to the Estat of Rob Onion 4£—0ˢ—0ᵈ

The comity: deputed to reckon with such persons as are behind in thier preportion to the minestry in the year 72 who hauing laboured in it and not finished it are desired to prosecut the same furter to efect

The Towne is indebted for pouder in mony 5£—8ˢ—8ᵈ

The Towne is debtor to seuerall persons: 8—10—0 or thier about

A bill is giuen to Tho Aldridg to recaiue of the constables: for asistinge in new marking the line betwix Dorchester and Dedham: 10ˢ—0ᵈ

Som proposales at the generall Metting:

1 Whither the Towne: will appoynt a comity to dispose of the old meting: House

2 Whither the Towne will: make an order to preuent the wast of wood and timber by loppinng trees and peeling: barke

3 Whither the Towne will make an order to preuent sheep gooing one the comons: with out a keeper

4 Whither the Towne will take care about placing persons in the meting: House

5 Whither the Towne will take care for the building of a Terit and Hanging of the bell

6 Whither the Towne will order that a rate may be made for the payinge of thier debts:

[12] 7 Whither the Towne will sell any parcels of land for the obtayning any part of the mony ingaged to our reu[t] Pastor

1: 11: 73 At a generall meeting of the inhabitanc

Tho Fullar is deputed to wright the acts of this meeting till thay appoynt another to that worke:

It is by voat declared that the comity: formerly chosen to inquire in to to the amonition of the Towne: and yet haue not finished it that thay would prosecut it to efect: and make returne to the select men this day to be chosen:

Nath Whiting desiring that the Towne would be helpfull in the mending the way: to his mill by: his floud gate: his desire is granted prouid it be no more then a suficent Horse Bridge and the survayers: are heerby impoured to call in helpe as they se cause accordingly:

Jonathan Fairbank: Ser Elic and Timo Dwight are chosen a comity to sell the old meting House to procure a terit and hang the bell:

In answer to the 2 proposition it is agred that thier shall be orders made to preuent the wast of wood and timber and the the efecting thier of is left to the care of the selectmen to be chosen: this day

That the select men this day to be chosen: are desired to make some sutable order to preuent the going of sheep vpon the comon with out a keeper

It is by voat: declard that the Towne are willing that some land be sold for the obtayning: of mony for the ends mentioned pvided it may be conueniantly spared by the Towne and vsefull to perticel persons: and the care of this left to a comity: of 5 men vnder named to settell the price and judg of the conueniancy for the Towne to spare it: Nath Fisher Ser Ric Elic Timothy Dwight John Farington and Tho Fullar:

Timothy Dwight is chosen to keepe the Towne Booke for the year insuing: and to be one of the select men

The select men for the year insunnge: En Dan Fisher Ser Ric Elic Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Will Auery Ser Ral. Day:

Serveyors for the year insuing: Nath Colburn Seno Nath Fisher Tho Battell Tho Metcalfe: Jam Vales

The Ishuing of 4 perticular: is left to Eld John Hunting and select men: Our Reu Pastor Mr William Adam desire the mony giuen: him by the Towne for his settellment amogest vs:

[18] Asembled 21 5 73 Eld John Huntinge En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Timo Dwight Tho Fullar

It is areed with the carpenters: for the present that thier be but three payr of stay[ ] in the metting House: the North corner one and the East corner one and: south corner one payer: and that the fore: seat of the east galery: shall be parted in the midest: and the rest of the seat are to be open at both Ends: and the south galery: for men: from the East stayers: to the west side of the meting House: and the North Galery: to be fited with three seats for womin twenty: foote from the west to the East and the other part of the galary: to be seated fitt for lads: with fower seats: and the seats in the body of the meeting House: to be parted: in the midle: the one halfe for men and the other halfe for womin

12 11 73 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ralp Day Timo Dwight

The Towne taking into considration the great damage to the publique by the great wast of wood and timber: by barking and lopping: of trees: it is thier fore ordred and be it in acted heerby: that whosoeuer: shall fell any tree: for barke or lopp any tree: except he haue: perticular order or grant: from the selectmen for the time being shall forfit fiue shillings: for euery: tree or trees: so felled or lopped vpon: the comon or caused to be felled for barke or lopped for wood: to be taken by stress or gathered together with thier rates: eyther vpon the workman or perso[ ] that set them to worke: at the discretion of the select men for the time being the informer to haue one third part and the rest for the publique vse of the Towne and this to stand in force vntill further order be taken

Vpon considration of damage done in our Towne: in corne fields and pastuers by sheepe going: vpon the comon with out a sheeptard it is thier fore ordered and heree: by inacted: that no sheep shall haue liberty: to gooe: vpon the comon with out a shepherd from the first of: april vntill the last of october vnder the penalty: of two penc: for euery sheep: beinge leggaly: conuicted before the select men for the time beinge: and this to be leuied vpon the owners: of the sheep: by: the counstables: by distress or gathered with thier Towne rates:

Agreed with Cornelius Fisher to ring the bell and to sweepe the meeting House: and for his paynes heer in he is to recaiue fifty shillings for one holle: yeare:

Agreed with Nat Heaton: to whip doges: out of the meeting House: and to go vpon arands: for the reuerand: Elders: refering to the church: and to take care of: cushin and glass: till further order be taken and for his

paynes here : in he is to recaiue of the Towne ten shilings for on whole year

A bill : giuen : to Hen Wilson to recaiue of the Towne rate : 18s for kee[ ] the vid Dunklings child six weeks

20 11 73 Asembled to seat persons : in the meeting House : Eld John Huntinge En Dan : Fisher Ser Tho : Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ral Day Timo Dwight

Agreed that thier shall be a seat made at the Table : at the charge of the Towne : if the carpenters by couenant be not inngaged to build : it.

[14] [ ] 11 73 Asem [ ] seat persons in the meeting House Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ral Day Timo Dwight vpon the complaynt of Sam Euerit : agaynst Ralph Freeman daughter : we granted him a warant to bring : her before : the select men :

7 11 73 Asembled : to hear the complaynt of Sam Euerid : agayne Mary : Freeman En Dan Fisher : Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Timo Dwight These appeared to answer the Sommons : Sam Euerid Mary Euerid : Mary Fullar Ruth Euerid : Ralph Freeman

[ ] 12 73 Asembled this day : to seat persons in the meting House Eld John Hunting En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ralp Day Timo Dwight

Granted to Joseph Elic his heyers : thos parcels of meadows that ly vpon the North side of the way : that lead vnto Medfield neere Medfield line and his Natick deuident which was alowed for two acres : in the comon meadows : this was done by the comity : impoured to that worke :

[ ] 1 73-4 Asembled : En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ral Day Timo Dwight

Jam : Macanab : makes a motion to haue his Netick deuident that is yet due to him : in part thier of to be layd out to him at the heads of the lots : in the East Street : neere the Higway that lead vnto Dorchester : Ser Ric Elic and Nat Whiting wear deputed to vew this land : whether it may be spared and make thier returne unto the select men :

Men deputed to vew fences : for the East part of Towne from the key : to the pond in the swamp : are as foloweth : John Aldus Isac Bulward for the west part of the Towne John Bacon Tho Aldridg. For Roxbury playne Ezra Morse Nath Colburn ; For Naponsit and the field thier abouts : John Farington : Sam Euerid : For Pond field and Rock Field John Gay Seno Nat Colburn Seno : For Ed Richard Farm and thos fields thier abouts : toward Netick Nat Gay Nat Bulard

[15] For the North Side of Charle Riuer and thos field towards [ ] all beyond the great playne And Duin Nath Fisher: For the great playne and Samuel Millses land : and the Schoole lott Rob Ware John Fullar Seno :

Men appoynted to burne : the woods : for the Iland And Duine : for the Smooth and midle playns : Tho Fisher Nat Heaton for the East street John Euerid : Nat Colburn is chosen Sealer for the year insueing

Agreed that the repairing : of the bridges that belonge to the publique Higwayes : is left to the Surveyors.

Granted vnto Sam Gay : liberty : to cut fiue hund hoop poles for which he promises : to pay : to the vse of the Towne 2s 6d in mony

9 : 1 : 73-4 At a Generall meeting : it was : proposed to considration whither thay will chuse : a com̃ to setle and finishe the worke left vndone : by the former com̃ refering to comon meadows and : any other is of that kinde yet one done : and it was voated in the afirmitiue : the com̃ity impoured Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Fullar : John Bacon : who are to make their returne to the Towne Recorder ;

10 : 2 : 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Timo Dwight

Granted vnto Jams Macanab: a parcell of land not exceeding seauen acres at the: head of John: Farington lott towards the west and vpon the Hige way : that lead vnto Dorchester towrds the North and vp the Hige way : leading toward Jam Grants Hows : to be layd out at the descresion of Ser Rich Elic and Timo Dwight

15 2 74 Asembled after noone En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic

Agreed with the Vid Elic and Vid Dunkly : to procur : the bell to be suficently : Ringed vpon the lords days : and in season : and keep the meeting House clean : and take care of the Dooers and windo[ ] that damage com not vnto the glasse : for the yeare insuinge for which seruic thay shall recaiue of the Towne three pouds

John Baker desire liberty : for two : timber trees of the com̃on land for to satisfy for two timber trees : that the sayd John Baker was acca[ ] to improue about the Metting House : that he tooke out of Sam Hunting lot which desire of his was granted

Seuerall of the inhabitanc appearinge and desiring liberty : to peell bark sell and many other of the inhabitanc declaring their mislike of this motion : it is concluded that it is most conducing to the peace of the Towne that none be granted this present yeare : and we desire the inhabitanc would not take it hardly :

Ser Ric Elic and John Aldus are deputed to set vp a post neer the meeting House for to nayle publications vpon also to set up a conuenient Horse bloock neere

[16] At a generall meeting of the inhabitanc it was proposed whither thay : impower the former com̃ity : to sell any more small parcels of land to any that would : buy : the Towne by voat declare : thay do impour the sayd

comity to sell so much land as will amount to one hundred and thirty pouds and no more: prouided it be remote: and do further order the sayd comity and select men to dispose of this mony by paying: of our reuerend Pastor: the hundred pouds giuen to him by the Towne and for other Towne charges:

It is also Granted that Tho Fish and John Rice shall haue thos parcels free: that was: formerly sold by the comity: to them:

[ ] 3 74 Asembled Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ralp Day Timo Dwight

Nath Colburn and John Bacon make thier returne of a deput thay haue layd out to Tho Fisher 15 acres of land vpon his right of Netick deuident on the South west and norwest of North Hill.

John Aldus is chosen to repair and keep the pound according vnto law:

The select men being informed that John Macintosh and Rob Fullar haue intruded into the Towne land by seting vp thier fenc: John Farington and Isaac Bulard were desired to inquire in to the case: and make returne to the select men

[ ] 4 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Rich Elic Ser Ralph Day Timo Dwight

Information that the Cart bridge is much more defectiue then was expected: the serveyers: are ordred to secure the sayd bridg: and what can not be done by higway worke: shall be payd out of a Towne rate:

6 4 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ralp Day: Timo Dwight Ser Ric Elic

En Dan Fisher demand of the Towne about fiue pound in mony which is yet due to the Wor: Maior Pinchin it is agreed by the select men: and thos of the comity that ware presnte: that so much of that rate as can not be atayned before the first of 7 mo: 74 shall be payd out of the Towne stock now in the hand of the comity appoynted to sell the Townes land: for the present and that spetiall care be taken for the obtayning what is yet wantinge in that rate:

John Eaton by his wife making demands of his rights at pecomtuck according to Towne Grant: the select men depute: Pet Woodward Seno Ser Ric Elic and Timo Dwight to advise with Edw Richards: and John Eaton to do in that case as may be conueniant

[17] [ ] 4: 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Timo Dwight The next sixt day: being the 3 day: of this Instant is appoynted for the propriators: of the great playne to meet together to Ishue such cases as are refering thier two. Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Nath Fisher and John Farington: are appoynted to giue the propriators notice of this meeting

Whear as thier haue been diuers motions: to lower the: watter in Charls Riuer and Ponsit Riuer: we the select men hauing taken it into serious considration haue chose Ser Will Auery: Hen Wight John Aldus

and Tho: Battely: as a comity: for Charles Riuer: and in like maner Tho Metcalfe John Farington Nath Fisher and Timo Dwight for Nupponcet Riuer: and do impour each comity: to do in thos cases: according to thier best discretion: as may be for the intrest of the men concerned and to treat with any other person or persons: that do or may recaiue benifit here by: that may incorage this worke in hand: it to also agreed that this charge in clearing: those Riuers: or any other meanes: vsed for lowering the water shall be payd in mony: and leuied vpon the owners of the meaddow: by: equal: proportion: by the acre: each comity makinge thier rates according to thier seuerall trust:

En Dan Fisher disburssed six poud ten and six penc in mony for baril pouder En Dan Fisher recaiued: by a bill from Liut Fishers: Estat that was part of a barill of pouder 2£—18s—6d

payd him by Ser Will Auery 0 — 7 —6

payd him by Ser Tho Full that he recaiud of Sam Milles for land sold him 0 —15 —0

The select man and comity order Ser Ric Elic and Timo Dwight to pay: vnto: our red Pastor 25£—0s—0d in mony being part of the hundred pounds giuen him by the Towne: A bill is giuen to En Dan Fisher: to recaiue of Ser Ric Elic and Timothy Dwight in part of payment of the barill of pouder and for Diat at Boston: may Sessions 3—5—0

En Dan Fisher is desired to call for and recaiue of Mendon men the rent of thos meadowes thay hired of the Towne:

Eliz Lenard is. not alowed to soiourne: at Tho Claps House with out he doth giue bond: for the Townes indemnity:

[ ]–5 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Timo Dwight

Being prooposed: to the propriators of the great playn whither thay will buy: the comon land in the sayd field it was answred in the negitiue:

Isaac Bulard informing one of the select men that he had one of John Littillfield children: and vnderstanding their wer more of them in the Towne: Ser Auery and Ser Ric Elic are desired: to giue all persons: notice: that non of them are alowed to remayne in Towne [18] vnles thay haue perticular: alowanc from the select men

Sam Barber is alowed to soiourn at Nath Gays House: for present

24: 6: 74: At a generall meeting of the Towne: Ser Nat Starns: was chosen comitioner to asist in making the country: rate:

It was proposed to the Towne whither their should be a schoole master procured for teaching of Children it was voated in the afirmatiue

En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery: Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic and Timothy Dwight are chosen a comity: to proportion our reuerend Pastors: Salery for the year insuing:

Vpon the consideration of the order of the Towne: refering vnto the

new mill concerning the stating of the water: thier John Fairbank Ser Nat Starns: and Ser Ric Elic are mutualy: chosen: by: the Towne Nath Whiting and Timothy Dwight to leuell the watter thier:

The Towne taking notice of great disorder in the meeting House by seuerall Persons not taking: the seats to which thay were appoynted it is by voat agreed to desire the select men to appoynt a meeting and all persons dissatisfied: are desired to repayre to them to that end that all griuances may: be remoued: and disorder prevented:

Isaac Bulard and Jam: Thorp are appoynted to vew the fences at the low playne:

29 6 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Timo Dwight Ser Nath Starns comisoner

The valuation of Houses:

	£		
		Tho: Hering	6
Eld John Hunting	12	Tho Metcalf	16:
Dec Nath Aldus	6	John Guild	8
En Dan Fisher	15	Isaac Bulard	5
Pet Woodward	17	Sam Milles	7:
Jose Kingsbury	12	Hen Wilson	4
Nath Colburn:	10	Jona Fairbank	10
Edw Richards	20	Tho Jurdin	5
John Gay:	14	Nath Chickring	10 7
Ric Euered:	9	Jam Thorp	8
Ser Will Auery	16	Nath Bulard	5
Ser Tho Fullar	12	John Richards	12
Timo Dwight	40	John Pigge	7
Nat Whiting:	12	John Euerid	7
John Farington	16	Tho Fisher	4
John Fairbenk Sr	9	Mic Metcalf	6
Tho Payn Se	10	Sam Gay:	6
Chri Smith	6	Ed Hawes	4
Rob Ware	10	Tho Aldridg	10
Rob Fullar	14	Josh Fisher	25
Ser Nath Starns	6	John Mason:	10
Ser Ric Elic	5	John Eaton	3
An Duin	8	Ralp Freeman	3
Hen Wight	12	Ezr Morse	5
John Bacon	11	Nat Gay	15
Tho Battely	12	Don Fisher	5
Nath Fisher	10	[19] John Fayrbank ju	9
John Aldus	11	Nat Kingsbury	2
Ser Ral Day	10	Sam Hunting	10
Ser Don Pond	8	Sam Euerid	2

Vid Fisher	3	Jam Grant	2
Jona. Fullar	6	John Colburn	3
Vid Elic	3	Jam Macarory	1
Nath Colburn	3	John Hubard	1
Jam Vales	5	Vid: Haiward	6
John Fullar	5	Nath Heaton	1
Tho Clap	0 2	Milles	40
Sam Parker	2	Jose Morse	5
John Houghton	3	Nath Colbur Jun ×	5
Ser Wil Auery:	4	John Colburn	
Ben Onion	1	Isa Chinery:	2
Jam Macanab	2	John Baker	7
John Macatosh	3:	Will Auery	7
Vid Morse	3:	John Baker	5

3 6 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Ser Ralp Day Timo Dwight To hear such persons as are: agrieued in the meetting House with thier seats: and Duin did declare him selfe dissatisfyed with his seat but did not tary vntill: he might be answred

John Gay Seno cam: to inquire: whear his son Johns seat was and being informed was satisfyed:

Sam Gay declared he was not satisfyed with his seat we considered his reasons and did not see cause to alter his sitting in the meeting House but desired him at least to except of it for the present:

Ralph Freman sayd he did not take: his seat because his wife had none: to him we answered that shee had a seat appoynted: thoug not so corsidereatly done: but haue not as yet been in a capacity to accomadate her to content

Richard Euerid makde some priuat motion to haue his wife remoued declaring: that the vid Morse was willing to chang with her

This day: the rate for the comitnor to cary to the shier meeting was subscribed:

The wife of John Aldus desired: to sit in the seat of the middle row for which both shee and we: tooke time to consider of it

Our Eld Nat Fisher and Sam Gay mad a complaynt agaynst Josep Skelton and his wife: that thay: were negligent in their calling with some other actions: one safe from him selfe and neighbours: whear vpon the select men appoynted another meeting 4th 7 mo

Tho Clap mad a motion and desired to keepe his mayd: seruant we answered that we se no reason to alow her but that he should remoue her out of the Towne:

[ ] 7 mo 74 Asembled En Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ral Day Timo Dwight

Whear as Ser Tho Fullar was formerly deputed: to take care of the

Townes amonition: it is further agreed with him that he shall prouid a conueniant place in the meeting house at the Townes charge to secure the afore sayd amonition and to dispose of it at his discretion: prouided alwayes thier be no vacancy of the Townes amonition: for whic care and trust we do ingage to alow him equall satisfaction

[20] The motion of Richard Euerit refering to his wiues changing her seat with the vid Morse: it is alowed prouided thay so agree

The select men desired Jam Thorp to call Joseph Skelton: and his wife to com to them but he : refused whear vpon the select men agreed to refar their case to the law:

Agred to call the Towne together and to giue them an account of the rate made for the minestry: in 62 as also what the Towne comited vnto vs 24: 6 mo 74

Josep Skelton and his wife appeard before vs by the aduice of our reue: Elder and we aduised them to diligence and be carefull for the futer to giue no ofenc to their neighbours:

In answer to the wife of John Aldus she is desired to sit vpon galery in the fore seat for the present

14 7 74 At a generall meeting: the Towne taking notice of the disorder by persons not taking thier seats in the meeting: appoyted for them: thay desired our reuerend Eld to take efectuall ceare: to regolat: that disorder: by speaking to thos persons priuatly or publiquely:

It being propouded what shall be done with the ouer pluse of the rate made for the minestry: Ending 15th 7 mo 73: it was by voat agreed to depute and impower: Ser Ric Elic John Aldus and Nath Fisher to take notice of that account and call in what is remayning due of that proportion: in case any persons do not pay: thay are ordered to bring in the account to the select men who are desired for to take efectual care: that all may: be payd by the first of 11 mo then the Towne will resolue that matter

In like maner the comity aboue sayd are impoured to bringe in the account of the contriebution. ending: 15: 7: 74 vnto the select men: hauing recaiued an account from the Decon: who are desired to take efectual care that our reuerend Pastor may haue his Just due:

The select men are also desired to draw vp such an instrument as may discharge the Towne from time to time: of their yearly asessments: to the minestery and present to the Towne 1th: 11: mo: 74

16: 9: 74 Asembled to make the country rate: En Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Ralp Day Timothy Dwight

This rate agreed to be made at a peny: half peny: vpon the poud vpon Estates: and persons: to pay the country: asesment and deputys charges and alowanc: and if any ouer pluss for Towne charges:

	£	s	d
Eld John Hunting	0	5	11
De Nath Aldus	0	1	9½
En Dan Fisher	0	13	9
Pet Woodward	1	0	6½
Josep Kingsbury:	0	13	6
Nath Colburn	0	19	10½
Edw Richards	1	4	4
John Gay	1	0	9½
Ric Euerid	0	13	9
Ser Will Auery	0	19	4½
Ser Tho Fullar	0	16	9½
Timo Dwight	1	4	9:
John Farington	1	4	1
Nat Whiting:	1	0	0
Chri Smith	0	9	9½
Rob Ware	0	17	3½
Rob Fullar	0	11	0
An Duin	0	19	3
Hen Wight	0	18	11

	£	s	d
[21] John Bacon	0	17	1½
Tho Battely	0	15	3
Nath Fisher	0	11	2
John Aldus	0	15	4
Ser Ralp Day	0	15	3½
Ser Dan Pond	0	14	5
Tho Hearing	0	10	6¼
Tho Metcalf	0	11	4½
John Guild	0	17	3¼
Isaac Bulard	0	8	0¼
Sam Milles	0	13	0¼
Hen Wilson	0	11	9¼
Jona Fairbanke	0	15	11½
Tho Jurdan	0	7	6
Jam Thorp	0	7	8
John Richards	0	7	9¼
John Pigge	0	10	9
John Euerid	0	8	4
John Rice	0	9	0¼
Will Auery:	0	7	7½
Elea Metcalfe:	0	3	1½
Tho Payne	0	5	3

Ric: Elic	0	9	0
Nat Starns:	0	7	8½
John Fairbank seno	0	15	0¼
Tho Payn seno	0	9	10
Lam Chinery	0	0	4½
Cor Fisher	0	0	10½
John Hunting	0	7	7½
Elic Wood	0	2	6
Tho Fisher	0	6	6¼
Mic Metcalfe	0	9	8¼
Sam Gay	0	7	10
Ed Haw	0	11	11½
John Bakaer	0	5	3
Nath Heaton	0	4	6
Nill Maciah	0	5	3

	£	s	d
Tho Aldridg	0	16	9
Nath Bulard	0	10	3
Ase Smith	0	7	10½
Josh Fisher	0	7	6
John Mason	0	8	0
John Eaton	0	6	6
Ralp Freman	0	8	8½
Ezr Morse	0	8	9
Nath Gay	0	8	9
Dan Fisher	0	4	3
John Fairbanke Juner	0	8	6
Nath Kingsbury	0	3	9¼
Sam Euerid	0	6	7½
Jona Fullar	0	5	3
vid Elic	0	1	4½
Nath Colburn jun	0	5	3
Jam Vales	0	12	10½
Tho Clap	0	7	10
Sam Parker	0	9	7½
John Houghton	0	4	0
Calb Church	0	7	0¼
Jam Macanab	0	6	9
John Macantosh	0	5	5
Vid Morse	0	0	10
Jam Grant	0	5	3
Jam Macarory	0	6	6
vid Haiward	0	3	9

John Fullar	0	8	3	Hen Eliot	0	4	1
Nath: Chickringe	0	7	4½	John Fullar Junor	0	3	9
John Dean	0	2	10	Ben Milles	0	4	9
Jose Skelton	0	4	7	Sar Ester Judson	0	0	10½
Jona Metcalfe	0	4	0	Eph Endin	0	3	1½
Sam Barber	0	2	10½				

22: 9: 74 Asembled to make the Towne rate: Cap Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Ral Day Timo Dwight

Reconed with John Aldus and their remayn due vnto him from the Towne 5£ 1s 8d

[22] Ser Nath Starnes: moue to exchange one small parcell of land wth the Towne: for his conuinancy neere his dwelling house: this motion is is granted and to be layd out: by Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Fullar and Tho Metcalfe or any two of them if they: se cause

And the aboue sayd comity are desired to perfect and new mark the line betwixt the Towne land and Ser Nath Starns:

Reconed with Jam Thorpe and Nat Bular counstables in referanc to the country rate and meeting house rate in 73 and vpon balnc of accouts rest due to the Towne 1£—3s—6 Recaiud of N: B 3s—3d Recaiued more N B 0—9—0

7 10 74 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Ral Day Timothy Dwight

This day the comity impoured and deputed by the Towne 14 7 74 to bring in their accounts. of the rate for the minestry. ending: 15: 7: 73 make their return that their remayn: due from seuerall persons: 3£—0s—2d more due from seuerall persons in the rate ending: the 15th 7 mo 74: 9£—2s—1d

The select men and comity: do order Ser Ric Elic and Timo Dwight to pay: the remainder of the hundred pound: to our reuerend Pastor: be fore the generall meeting: and take recipt of him by subscribing his hand unto the booke:

Deliured vnto Capt Dan Fisher in mony the Just sume of ten poud that was recaiued for land sould by the comity:

Payd by Cap Dan Fisher to mai: Pinchine: that was yet due to him of Pecomtick rate: 4£—8s—5d more by charges at Court 8 mo: 1£—5d—0

Capt Dan Fisher and Henery: Wight are desired to treat with Tho Battell for keeping Schoole one quarter of year at least and make returne: to the select men: 14th of this Instont

7 10 74 Asembled to make: the rate: for to defray Towne charges at one peny vpon 1£ Capt Fisher Ser Auery: Ser Fullar: Hen Wight Ser Elic Ser Day Timothy Dwight

Eld John Hunting:	0	3	11	Capt Dan Fisher	0	6	3
Dec Nat Aldus	0	1	2·	Pet Woodward	0	8	8

Jose Kingsbury	0	5	8
Nat Colburn seno	0	8	3
Edw Richards	0	12	10
John Gay	0	8	11
Rich Euerid	0	5	10
Ser Will Auery	0	6	5
Ser Tho Fullar	0	8	0
Nat Whiting	0	8	4
John Farington	0	11	1
Chri Smith	0	4	10
Rob Ware	0	6	7
Timo Dwight	0	14	5
Rob Fullar	0	5	11
And Duine	0	9	6
John Aldus	0	7	8
Hen Wight	0	7	8
John Bacon	0	6	5
Tho Battely	0	6	10
Nat Fisher	0	5	9
Ser Nat Starns	0	3	5
Ser Rich Elice	0	3	7:
Ser Ralp Day	0	5	2
Ser Dan Ponde	0	4	7:
Tho Hering	0	5	4
Nat Gay	0	4	2
Tho Metcalfe	0	5	1
John Guild	0	6	9
[23] Isaac Bulard	0	3	8
Sam Milles	0	5	4
Hen Wilson	0	4	6
Jona Fairbank	0	4	0
Tho Jurdin	0	3	4
Jam Thorpe	0	3	1
John Richards	0	3	6
John Pigge	0	5	6
John Euerid	0	3	10
John Rice	0	2	8
Will Auery	0	3	5
Tho Payne	0	5	8
John Fairbank Seno	0	7	0
Lam Chinery	0	0	3:
Ele Metcalf	0	0	5
Cor Fisher	0	0	6
John Hunting	0	3	3:

Tho Fisher	0	2	8
Mical Metcalfe	0	4	9:
Sam Gay	0	3	11
Edw Hawes	0	3	8
Tho Aldridg	0	7	10
Josha Fisher	0	5	5
Asel Smith	0	1	11
John Mason	0	3	8
John Eaton	0	2	4
Ralp Freemon	0	2	5
Ezra Morse	0	4	2
Dan Fisher	0	1	2
John Fairbank	0	4	0
Nat Kingsbury	0	0	11
Sam Euerid	0	1	9
Jona Fullar	0	1	10
Vid Elic	0	0	11
Nath Colburn Juner	0	3	10
Nath Bulard	0	5	1
John Baker	0	1	8
Nath Heaton	0	1	4
Jam Vales	0	5	3
Tho Clap	0	4	2
Sam Parker	0	4	9
John Houghten	0	1	2
Cal Church	0	3	8
Jam Macanab	0	2	10
John Macontosh	0	1	11
Vid Morse	0	0	7
Jam Grant	0	1	10
Jam Macarwithy:	0	1	8
Vid Haiward	0	2	6
John Fullar Seno	0	3	9
Nath Chickring	0	3	3
Jose Skelton	0	1	4
Jona Metcalf	0	1	1
Sam Barber	0	0	3
John Fullar Juner	0	0	10
Ben Milles	0	1	6
Tho Payn Junor	0	2	2
Sar Ester Judson	0	0	7:
Nill Maciah	0	01	10
John Deon	0	0	1
Eph Indian	0	0	5

14: 10: 74 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Ser Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Hen Wight Ser Ralph Day· Tim Dwight

Diuers persons appering made: a complaynt agaynst an act of the comity chosen 22: 9: 74: to renew and perfect the line betwen the Towne and Ser Nath Starns land it is agreed as foloweth: the select men Ser Nath Starns and the persons discatisfyed: haue chosen John Gay Ed Richards: and Nath Fisher to vew and hear what may be aledged in that case who shall also determin according to thier best discresion which shall be a finall end of that controversy:

This day we sent for the Carpenters: that built the meeting House and desired them to: finish their worke: according to couenant that so the rate may be made and they recaiue their pay accordingly:

Agreed that Nath Fishers comon meadow shall abutt vpon Ser Tho Fullar

[24] Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Fullar and Rob Ware are deputed to lay: out one: parcell of land neer the great playne formerly granted vnto Liut Fisher deceased:

Agreed with Tho Battely to keep the schoole for one: quarter of a year: for the Salery vsaly: giuen vnto Schoole Masters and is to begin the 21 of this instant: agreed this to be posted vp: and notice giuen to bring in wood:

28 10 74 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Ser Will Auery Ser Tho Fullar Hener: Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Ralp Day: Timo Dwight

A rate made: for the payment of the last payment to the workmen for fhe building of the meeting: House: whear in persons and Estates are: asesed 3 penc per poud:

Eld John Hunting:	0	12	9	Ser Dan Pond	1	9	5
Dec Nath Aldus	0	3	3	John Bacon	1	15	5
Cap Dan Fisher	1	10	1	Nath Fisher	1	3	8
Peter Woodward	2	5	9	An Duin	1	19	4
John Gay	2	5	4	Rob Ware	1	13	4
Nath Colburn	2	2	2	John Fairbank Seno	1	13	3
Ed Richard	2	13	9	Tho Metcalfe	1	6	30
Ser Tho Fullar	1	15	3	Rob Fullar	1	4	0
Nath Whiting	1	18	6	Tho Hearing:	1	6	9:
John Farington	2	11	0	Isaac Bulard	0	17	3
Ser Will Auery	2	3	3:	Nat Bulward	1	1	9
Ric Euired	1	5	9:	Chri Smith	1	0	5
Jose Kingsbury:	1	11	3	Tho Battely	1	14	2
Timo Dwight	2	14	1	Tho Aldridg:	1	18	0
Hen Wight	1	19	0	Sam Gay	0	18	11
Ser Nath Starns	0	16	0	Nath Gay	0	18	2
Ser Ric Elic	1	1	3	John Huntinge:	0	14	8
Ser Ral Day	1	10	6	John Pigg	1	1	3

John Euerid	0	15	6	Josha Fisher	1	2	6
John Aldus	1	12	8	John Fullar Junor	0	7	0
Tho Payne Seno	1	2	5	John Fairban jun	0	16	9:
Tho Jurdin	0	14	5	Jam Macanab	0	13	3
Lam Chinery giue	5	0	0	John Macintosh	0	13	0
John Fullar Senor	0	17	5	Jam Grant	0	10	9
Mic Metcalf	1	2	9	Jam Macconwithy	0	12	9
Sam Milles	1	7	8	Nill Maciah	0	10	3
Ben Milles	0	8	5	Nath Colburn	0	10	6
John Rice	0	15	5	John Colburn	0		
John Eaton	0	13	3	John Richards	0	16	7
Hen Wilson	1	5	5	John Dean	0	5	0
Ed Hawes:	1	5	6	Jam Vales	0	15	11
Tho Fisher	0	17	6	Johna Metcalfe	0	6	11
Nat Chickring	0	15	10	Rob Aline	0		
Dan Fisher	0	9	2	Eph Wight	0	1	6
Nath Heaton	0	9	0	John Houghton	0	6	0
John Mason	0	18	11	Sam Parker	0	13	10
Nat Kingsbury	0	8	2	Tho Clap	0	10	9
Asel Smith	0	8	9	Calb: Church:	0	10	0
John Euerid	0	15	6	Jose Morse	0	3	0
Sam Euerid	0	13	6	Isaac Chinery			
Ralp Freman	0	17	3:	Tho Boyden:	0	2	0
Jona Fullar	0	I1	3	Mrs Fisher			
Ezra Morse	0	17	8	Vid Morse	0	1	9
[25] John Guild	1	15	3	Vid Fisher			
Will Auery	0	14	3	Vid Elic	0	2	7
Jona Fairbank	0	5	3	Elic Wood	0	5	0

Ser Will Auery recaiued of John Fullar jun for timber vpon the Townes account in mony 0£—10—0d

A bill is giuen to John Aldus to recaiue of the counstable 5£ 1s 8d

A bill is giuen vnto Joshua Fisher to recaiue of the counstobles 3 6 0

This wrighting witnesseth that I Thomas Clap of Deadham do binde ouer my Saw Mill and all: my rights and privilidges their vnto belonging: to the select men of Deadham: and their succesors for euer vpon condition: that neither Hen Earle nor Eliz Lenord shall be any trouble or damag by them or eyther of them vnto this Towne witnesse my hand 28 10 74

THOMAS CLAP

This was acknouledg before the select men day aboue written: this is a trew coppy the atested by me

TIMO DWIGHT: T R

Men behind in thier highway work:

Nath Chickring ×	0	2	0	Jona Fullar ×	0	2	0
Sam Milles ×	0	2	0	John Fullar jun ×	0	4	0
Ezr Morse ×	0	5	0	Jsra Euerid ×	0	4	0
Will Auery ×	0	2	0	Ser Starns ×	0	6	0
Isaac Bulard ×	0	3	0	Elice Wood ×	0	4	0

31. 10. 74. [1] Received for my yearly Maintenance of ye Deacon & by his Order for ye year beginning September ye 15th 1673 & ending September ye 15th 1674 ye full & just summe of threescore pounds in Money, upon ye acount of the town of Dedham. I say Received by me

WILLIAM ADAMS

[1] Also received of Mr Timothy Dwight & Serj. Richard Ellice upon the Account of ye said Town of Dedham ye full & just summe of One hundred Pounds in Money, it being the same hundred Pounds which ye abovesaid Towne of Dedham agreed & promised upon ye 29th day of ye 7th moneth 1673 to pay unto me toward ye purchase of a Habitation. For which their then readiness in promising, & now punctuallnes in performing I do hereby declare my gratefull Acceptance & hearty Thankfulnes, & that I am fully satisfyed as to the payment of y^t^ their gift, As witness my hand

WILLIAM ADAMS

[26] 1 11 mo 74: At a generall meeting The comity: impoured 1 11 73 to sell of the Townes land to procure mony for the Towne: doe giue this day: a perticular account of what thay: haue done to which they generaly voat a concuranc thier in and in that case refering to Caleb Church: the Towne doe order the comity to release: or confirme: as thay see cause:

It is by: voat declared that no timber that is now Standing shall be sould out of our Towne:

Granted to John Euerid: and Ralph Freeman one parsell of Swamp: contayning about one: acre: neere thier dwelling Houses vpon the South East of the Highway: leading: to foule meadow: prouided thay: do make and mayntayn for euer: one rod: of: causey. of Each side that run betwixt thier Houses in the High way:

Granted vnto John Macantosh: a small parcll of land adjoyning: vpon his owne land and neere Sam Euerids: House lot prouided he improue: the sayd land by breaking: and fencing:

Cap Dan Fisher Ser Elic and Timothy Dwight are desired and deputed to moue and desire the comity: Mr Tinge and Mr Jacson to se thier conclustion: referinge to the lines betwixt Dedham and the Indinens: at Netick be Isued and recorded and our comity: to doe further as thay se cause for the safety of the Towne:

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[1] These receipts in hand-writing of Rev. William Adams.

Capt Dan Fisher: is deputed to petition: to the county Court to remit the fine imposed vpon the Towne refering to the line betwixt Roxbury:

Timothy: Dwight is choosen to keep the Towne booke and to be one of the select men: for the year insuing:

Cap Dan Fisher Ed Richards: Hen Wight John Aldus John Farington Ser Dan Pond are choosen select men for the year insuing:

Nath Colburn Tho Metcalfe and Tho Battely: are choosen serueyers for the yeare insuinge:

[27] 22 11 74 Asembbled at night Cap Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Dan Pond Timo Dwight

The Towne beinge presented for beinge defectiue in want of a Schoole Master: Cap Dan Fisher was choosen to Answer the presentment according to summons:

A bill is giuen vnto Vid Elic and Vid Dunkly: to recaiue of the counstables: 3£—0—0 for there labour in Ringing the bell and sweeping the Meeting House: there year: begining: the 15th of 2 74 and ending 15 2th. 1675

A bill is giuen to Cor Fisher to recaiue of the constables 0£—12s—6d for ringe the bell and sweeping the meeting House:

A bill is giuen to Ser Dan Pond to recaiue of the constables 47£—5s—0d

A bill is giuen to John Baker to recaiue of the constables 47£—5s—0d

A bill is giuen to Cap Fisher to recaiue of the counstables 03—0—0 for his salery: as Depity:

23: 12: 74 Asembled Cap Dan Fisher Edwar Richards: Hen Wight John Aldus: John Farington Ser Dan Pond: and Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to Ser Ric Elic to recaiue of the counstable 01£-16s-0d for runing: the lines: and laying: out the comon meadowes:

Vpon a motion of Tho Clap: desiringe to exchang a tract of land contaynig six Acres: formerly: granted: to: Liu Fisher disceased: as it lyeth: neere: the Saw Mill parth: on the East side: of the ridge: it is vpland and Swamp meadow: granted vnto Tho Clap: fiue Acres: adjoynnge: vpon one Acre of land of the sayd Claps: or vpon: his Hom lot to be layd out at the discresion of Isaac Bulard: and Jam Vales

A bill is giuen to Ser Tho Fullar for Dept alowanc and dyet sume of fower pouds and tenn shilings:

A bill is giuen to And Duine: of fowor shillings sixpenc for new: markinge a line: and: going: to Bostowne: as a witnesse: about Netick presentment

A bill is giuen to Nat Heaton to recaiue of the counstables eight shillings for keeping: the doges out of the Meeting House and shuting the dores:

Nath Colburn: is chosen sealer: for the year insuinge:

Tho Metcalfe and Isaac Bulard: is chosen vewers of fenc one the East part of the Towne from the Highway: leading from the key to the great pond:

John Gay: and John Bacon is choosen for the west part of the Towne to vew the fences: from that part of the way: afore sayd: for Roxbury Playne Ser Rich Elic and Ezra Morse: Jona Fairbanke and Nat Whiting for the low playne and thos field thier abouts:

[28] John Pigg and John Euerit: for Ponsit and thos Fields thier abouts: Nat Gay: and Nat Chickring: for Pond Playne and the fields one this side: Nath Fisher and Dan Fisher Juner for Neticke fields and thos one this side: to the Towne wards: Rob Ware and Nath Bulard for the great playne and Schoole: land and John Aldus land: Tho Aldridg: and John Fullar: Seno: for thefields beyond the great Playne:

Men appointed to burne the woods: for the East Street Sam Euerid for the midel playne and Smoth playne: Ed Hawes: Tho Fisher: for the Iland Ande Duin

Capt Fisher John Aldus and Timothy Dwight: are choosen to make the Schoole rate: and to enter that which was acted and past at the generall meeting:

Hene: Wight and Nath Fisher is choosen to new marke: the line betwixt the Towne and Edward Richards Farme: and to make returne of what thay doe in that worke to the Towne:

12 1 74-5 Asembled after noone: Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Tim Dwight

Ser Fullar declaring to the select men that he can buy lead much cheaper then Bulits: for amonition according: to law: he is ordered to doe as he see cause in that case:

Agreed that the Troopers: that haue bene listed of late: shall be abated out: of the next country: rate: two shillings: and one peny for hied and horse

Agreed with Ser Dan: Pond: forth with: to repaire the schoole: House:

A bill is giuen to an Indin called cooke Robin for killing: a woolfe 0—10s—0

Ser Dan Pond moue for helpe: to rayse: the Terit vpon the meting House: for which he is alowed eight men to set of on day: worke: for each man and thier diners:

22 1. 74-5 Asembled after trayning: Capt Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus: John Farington Ser Pond Timo Dwight
and Nat Fisher counstable: to choose a seler

A bill is giuen to Tho Metcalf for Robart Onion as he is betrusted by the court for fower pouds 4—0—0

A bill is giuen to Will Auery: Junor for making three casements: for the meeting House 1—0—0

A bill is giuen to Israll Euerit and to Ralph Freman for killing of two wolues 1—0—0

A bill is giuen to Tho Battell for keeping Schoole 2—10—0

[29]. A rate made to defray the charge to the schoole master for one half year where in parents and such as haue children ratable are asesd being three shilings and three penc per head

	£	s	d		£	s	d
Eld John Hunting	0	3	3	Rob Ware	0	3	3
Nath Whiting	0	6	6	Edw Hawes	0	[*6]3	3
John Farington	0	3	3	Jam Macarwithy	0	[*6]3	[*6]3
John Bacon	0	6	6	Vid Elic	0	0	0
Ser Nat Starns	0	6	6	Jam Vales	0	1	7½
Ser Ric Elic	0	6	6	Tho Metcalfe	0	3	3:
Ser Dan Pond	0	6	6[½]	Jam Thorp	0	3	3:
Sam Gay	0	6	6	Isaac Bulard	0	[*3]0	[*3]0
John Aldus	0	3	3	Pet Woodward	0	3	3
And Duin	0	1	7½	John Houghton	0	1	7½
Tho Clap	0	3	3[½]	Tho Payn Seno	0	3	3
Sam Parker	0	0	0	Tho Jurdin	0	1	7½
John Macintosh	0	6	6	John Fullar Seno	0	3	3
Ser Tho Fullar	0	3	3	Jose Kingsbury	0	3	3
Tho Hering	0	[*3]0	[*3]0	Timo Dwight	0	1	7½
Jona Fairbank	0	3	3	Ric Euerid	0	3	3

A bill is giuen to Nath Fisher to recaiue of Tho Aldridge late counstable one poud six shillings and eight penc 01—6—8

9: 2 1675: Asembled at Euening: Cap Fisher Hen Wight John Aldus John Farington Ser Pond and Timo Dwight

We recaiued: order from Watertowne men to new marke: the line betwixt Watertowne and Dedham: Hen Wight Rob Ware and Nat Bulard are deputed to atend that Seruice: according to law

Henery Wight Ser Dan Pond: and Nath Bulard are choosen to new marke the line betwixt: Dedham and Mendham: according to law: Ser Richard Elic was afterwar: choosen: and added:

17: 2: 1675: Asembled in the morning Capt Dan Fisher Hen Wight: John Aldus John Farington: Ser Dan Pond: Timothy Dwight:

A bill is giuen to Ben Milles for ten shilling: for killing a woolfe:

The select men do order the serueyers to mend the great Cart Bridge: on to the Iland suficently: vpon the account of Higway marke: as Soone as may be:

Agreed with Nath Kingsbur to ring the Bell and to keepe the meeting House clean for this year insuinge for which he is to recaiue of the Towne for his paynes three pounds:

24 3 75 Asembled: Cap Dan Fisher Ed Richards: Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond Timothy Dwight

[80] Vpon experyenc: finding damag don by pilling barke: notwithstanding: all cear and indeauours: to preuent spoyling wood and timber: it is thierfor for explination of the fore recipted: order: in the day booke: 12: 11: 73: It is further ordered: and be it heerby inacted: that who euer: shall after the: publiquecation heer of: pill any tree or tres: felled or standing vpon the comon land of Dedham: without order from the Select men thay shall forfit fiue shillings: a tree and shall be leuied: as is expressed: as in the order:

And it is further ordered: it shall be lawfull: to take sayd barke by order from the select men: the owner not being found: the sayd: barke shall be inproued: for the Towns: vse:

It is also ordered: that if any shall sufer any timber: to ly felled vpon our comon land more than six monthes: it shall be lawfull for the select men to dispose thier of: for the Townes vse:

It is further ordered that all timber improued whether postes or rayles: or other wise: after the first of August from year to year: shall be alike liable: to be seized after the publication heer of

It is further ordered: that all barke: all ready: pilled shall be responsable: till the fiue shillings: according to Towne order: be payd: and in case no owner apper with in fower dayes: it shall be forthwith: seized: for the Townes vse by order from the Select men: Nath Bulard and Sam Euerid are heerby desired and impoured: to prosecat this order to Efect:

2: 4: 1675 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Farington Ser Dan Pond Timothy Dwight

Hen Wight Ser Elic Nath Fisher Ser Dan Pond that vpon an agrement they haue: new marked the line betwixt Dedham and Mendon: 31 3 mo 1675: also vpon the first of June: we continew the line: and marked it to the patint line whear we did set vp a stake and erected an heape of stones: the line beinge mesured: did appear to be one mile: and one quarter from Petuxit Riuer to the patint line: we recaiued a noat from the Select men of Mendon that thay do concur with this returne:

A motion is made: by: Ser Auery: Ser Elic and Isack: Chinery: to haue: a confermation: of thier motion made: in the day booke 20 10 71: in referanc to a mine at Haries groud neer Marymisto: which is left to considration:

25: 4 1675: Asembled Cap Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight: John Farington John Aldus: Ser Dan Pond Timothy Dwight:

In referanc to an order refering to seizing of barke: 24 3 75 it is agreed that John Gay Seno and Sam Gay shall haue thier barke that was seized by vertew of that order prouid thay pay the charge of bringing it in and fiue shillings per load for the Townes vse:

Serg Auery: Ser Ric Elic Isaac Chinery: desiring a confermation of a grant refering to mines and discoured by the men aboue named we do declare thier grant to be leagall: thay hauinge allread performed: so many things re-

fering: thier two as the cause at present: require and what is yet remang: we refer them to Wrentham Towne orders

[31] 24: 3: 75: Nat Fisher informinge: that thier is diuers: Horses in the: woods: not fetered acording to law: that are like to ruine our Towne by eating vp the corne in our fields: he declared that he would fech: in thos Horses he should finde: in the towne fields doing damage: in case he might haue one halfe: the court order do finde for the Towne we do order that if he bring: Such Horses: we: will satisfy: him: with one halfe if we can not satisefy him with lesse:

14 5 1675 Asembled Cap Dan Fisher: Hen Wight: John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

To make a rate: for the defraying the charges refering to the warr: being a double: rate: by order: of the generall Court made by the last years billes: the totall some being 58£—8s—0d:

	£	s	d				
				Tho Hering	0	17	4
Eld John Hunting:	0	7	10	Tho Metcalfe	0	15	4
Cap Dan Fisher:	0	19	2	John Guild	1	0	2:
Dec Nath Aldus:	0	02	5	Isaac Bulard:	0	10	8
Peter Woodward:	1	4	11	Sam Milles:	1	0	4
Josep Kingsbury:	0	19	8	Hen Wilson:	0	15	9
Richard Euerid	0	18	2	John Fairbank Junor	0	11	3:
Ed: Richards:	1	12	5	Johna Fairbank	0	17	2
John Gay:	1	9	9:	Will Auery	0	9	6
Nat Colburn.	1	7	2:	Tho Jurdin	0	10	0:
Ser Will Auery:	1	6	40	Jam Thorp	0	9	7:
Ser Tho Fisher	1	2	4:	Nath Bulard:	0	13	7:
Ser Nath Starns:	0	10	3:	John Richard	0	10	5
Ser Ric Elic	0	13	10·	John Pidge:	0	14	5:
Ser Nath Whiting:	1	6	3	John Euerid	0	11	1
John Farington	1	10	9	Tho Fisher	0	8	6
John Fairbank Seno:	01	1	3	Mic Metcalfe:	0	13	1
Tho Payne: Seno	0	13	4	Sam Gay:	0	11	3
Chri Smith:	0	12	11	Edw Haw:	0	16	1
Rob Ware:	1	3	3:	Tho Aldridg:	1	2	4
Rob Fullar	0	15	2	Josh: Fisher:	0	14	2
And Duing:	1	6	4	John Mason:	0	10	8
Hen Wight	1	5	2	John Eaton	0	7	10
John Bacon:	1	2	10:	Ralp Freeman:	0	11	6
Nath Fisher	0	14	6:	Ezra Morse:	0	10	1
John Aldus:	0	19	9:	Nath Gay:	0	11	6
Ralp Day	01	0	8	Dan Fisher	0	5	9:
Dan Pond	0	19	3	Nath Kingsbury:	0	5	5

Tho Payne Junor:	0	8	7:	Timo: Dwight	1	15	2
Sam Euerid:	0	8	10	Eph: Endin:	0	4	2
Vid Fisher:	0	3	0	John Fullar: Seno:	0	11	10
Jona Fullar:	0	6	6	Asel Smith:	0	8	8
John Dean:	0	3	10	Cal Church:	0	10	9:
Nat Colburn: jun	0	7	0	Isaac Chinery	0	5	0
Jam Vales:	0	17	2	Tho Boyden	0	1	0
Tho Clap:	0	11	9:	John Backer	0	6	10
Sam Parker:	0	12	11	Nath Chickring	0	9	10
John Houghton:	0	[5]6	10	Jona Metcalfe	0	5	4
Jose Skelton:	0	5	8	Elic Wood:	0	3	4
Jam Macanab:	0	9	0	Nill Maciah:	0	7	0
John Macintosh:	0	7	3	Hen Eliot	0	4	8
Vid Morse:	0	1	2	Sam Barker	0	4	4
Jam Grant:	0	7	0	John Fullar jun	0	8	4
Jam Macarwthy	0	8	8	Beina Milles	0	5	9
[32] John Rice	0	14	10	Josep Morse	0	5	0
Vid: Haiward:	0	3	11	Tho: Ephra Wight	0	2	0
Nath Heaton:	0	6	0	John Hunting	0	9	8
Tho Battely:	1	0	6				

A bill is giuen to Ser Fullar to recaiue of Timothy Dwight in mony twoo pounds·

28: 6 75 Asembled to make a list of the ratable estat: for the country according to the warant: Cap Dan Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus John Farington Dan Pond: Timo Dwight Isaa: Bulard Comitnior

John Bacon and Henery Wight make a motion for them selues and for such inhabitanc: as shall make a Cart Causey vpon the Townes land neer an Iland called Mr Micall Powels to thier meadows: and also that such persons: that are at the charge of making the Causey: aboue sayd: that thay only and thier succesors: shall haue the vse: and benifit of it which desirs of thiers is granted: vpon this condition resuruing free pasage for the Towne to Cart ouer Hay: from any: of thier meadows neere adjoynng to the sayd Causey: prouid: that such persons as: shall make: vse of such comon meadows: shall beare: equall Charge: In maintaining: the Aboue sayd Causey:

The grain iuery informing that the select men will be presented: the next county court if thay take not efectuall care: that low be prosicuted refering to excess in aparall it is theirfore ordered: that such persons as fall vnder that low shail haue forthwith notice thay shall be rated accordingly: if thay desire to speake: with 1 select men: 20 7th day being the 2 day: of the week at two of the clock in the afternoone: the meeting: at the ordinory:

Ser Rich Elic and Ser Dan Ponde: are appoynted and deputed te fixe the great gune and to prepare it with Amunition for the vse of The Towne

22: 9: 1675: Asembled to make the Countery: rate: at a peny on the poud and the Towne at one halfe peny: as also seauen singel rates for Charges refering to the war Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

A rate made for defraying the charge refering to the warr being seauen singel rates: according to the Courts order

	£	s	d
Eld John Hunting	1	2	5
Dec Nath Aldus	0	8	9
Capt Dan Fisher	4	2	3
Peter Woodward	4	18	3
John Gay	5	8	4
Nath Colburn	3	12	0
Edw Richards	05	10	3
En Tho Fullar	3	14	1
Nath Whitinge	3	9	6
John Farington	4	13	7
Mr Will Auery	4	2	8
Rich Euered	2	12	6
Josep Kingsbury	3	6	2
[38] Timothy Dwight	6	6	7
Hen Wight	5	0	0
Liut Nath Starns	1	15	3
Ser Rich Elic	2	6	8
Ser Dan Pond	3	14	9
Ser Ralp Day	3	15	10
John Bacone	3	15	6
Nath Fisher	2	11	0
And Duine	4	4	11
Rob Ware	4	7	10
John Fairbanke Seno	3	12	0
Tho Metcalfe	2	16	10
Rob Fullar	2	9	8
Tho Heringe	2	12:	7
Isaac Bulard	02	2	0
Nath Bulard	2	2	3
Chris Smith	2	5	6
Tho Battely	3	19	2
Tho Aldridg	3	3	7
Sam Gay	1	15	1
Nath Gay	2	2	7
John Huntinge	1	19	1
John Pigge	02	12	0
John Euered	1	17	0
John Aldus	3	10	10
Tho Payne Seno	2	10	0
Tho Jurdine	1	8	1
John Fullar Seno	1	16	9:
Micall Metcalfe	2	6	9
Sam Mills	1	17	0
Ben Milles	1	1	5
John Rice	2	2	0
John Eaton	1	9	2
Hen Wilson	2	14	7
Ed Hawes:	2	16	8
Tho Fisher	1	10	5
Nath Chickeringe	1	11	11
Dan Fisher	1	8	1
Nath Heaton	1	2.	9
Nath Kingsbury:	1	0	5
John Mason	2	1	10
Asel Smith	0	19	10
Sam Euerid	1	12	11
Ralp Freeman	1	14	10
Jona Fullar	1	8	8
Ezra Morse	1	12	6
John Guild	3	19	5
Jona Fairbank Seno	2	2	3
Will Auery	1	15	7
Josh Fisher	3	8	3
John Fairbank Junor	1	19	2
John Fullar Junor	0	14	7
Jam Macanab	1	8	7
John Macintosh	1	6	8
Jam Grant	1	4	6
Jam Macarwethy	1	5	1
Nill Maciah	1	7	5
John Richards	1	19	8

Nath Colburn Junr	1	8	3	Josep Skelton	0	18	8
John Colburn	1	5	2	Tho Payne Juner	1	2	9
John Dean	0	16	2	John Baker	1	15	10
Jam Vales	3	5	2	Hen Eliot	0	14	7
Jona Metcalfe	0	17	11	Sam Barber	0	18	11
John Houghten	1	15	5	Amos Fisher	0	5	10
Ephram Wight	0	3	6	Josep Newbury	0	5	10
Sam Parker	1	17	4	Jams Thorpe	2	2	3
Tho Clape	2	4	11	Jona Fairbank Junr	0	14	7
Caleb Church	0	8	5	Jona Freeman	0	14	7
Isaac Chinery	1	15	0	Ephr Emdin	0	14	7
Tho Boyden	0	3	6	Tho Bishoop	0	14	7
Joan Fisher	2	13	8	Tho Wight	0	3	6
Vid Morse	0	3	6	Will Dean	0	11	8
Vid Haiward	1	7	5	Gorge Westbrook	1	9	2
Elic Wood	0	11	8				

Asembled 29 9 75 Hen Wight John Aldus John Farington Capt Fisher Edw Richards: Ser Pond and Timothy Dwight

[84] A bill giuen to Nath Fisher of twelue shillings for runing a line Neere to Mendham: This is payd in the first war Rate

A bill is giuen to Nath Colburne Seno 16^{s} for: new marking Seuerall lins

A bill is giue to Tho Battell of two pounds ten shillings for keeping the Schoole in 75

A bill is giuen to: Joshua Fisher of 1£—19^{s}—8^{d} for the House rome at generell meting and died for raysing the Terit and select mens diet

A bill is giuen to Nath Kingsbury: for his saruic in the meting House: and Ringing the Bell: 1£—10—0

A Bill is giuen to Ser Richard Elic 1—9—0 for runing a line at Mendon and at Netick and 2 dayes reparing the great gune:

A Bill is giuen to Capt Fisher of 3£—17^{s}—0 for his dept Alowanc: and and two expend aboet the line betwixt Roxburey and dedham being: that that remay yet due:

A Bill is giuen to: Hen Wight for runing one line at: Mendon one: to Wattertowne and othr disbursments: 0—15—0

A Bill is giuen to: Ser Daniell Pond: for 2—13—0 for repaireinge the Schoole House and fixing: the great gune: and: new marking the line neer Mendon:

A Bill is giuen to Nath Colburn: Junr for mony disbersed 3^{s}—10^{d} abut his Suit Refering: to his land lying: neer Roxbery: line

× A bill is giuen to Timothy Dwight of 10^{s} for × runing a line to Netick and 2 dayes: going to Boston refering: to the difrenc betwixt Roxberey and Dedham

A bill is giuen: to John Aldus for worke aboet the great Gun of 4s

A Bill is giuen to Nath Richards: to recaue of the Counstabl ten shillings for killing one woolfe

A bill is giuen to Jonath Fairbank Seno for a payre of wheels to lay the great gune vpon: 0£—10s—0d

The Countery rate as foloweth at a peny vpon the poud:

Eld John Hunting	0	3	2	John Euerid	0	5	3
Dec Nath Aldus:	0	1	3	John Aldus	0	10	1
Cap Dan Fisher	0	11	9	Tho Payne Seno	0	7	1
Pet Woodward	0	11	11	Tho Jurdin	0	4	0
John Gay	0	15	5	John Fullar Seno	0	5	3
Nath Colburn	0	10	3	Mica Metcalf	0	6	8
Edw Richards	0	13		Sam Milles	0	5	4
En Tho Fullar	0	10	7	Ben Milles 3s	0	16	8
Nath Whiting	0	9	11	John Ric 6	0	16	8
John Farington	0	13	4	John Eaton 4 2d	0	16	8
Mr Will Auery	0	11	9	Hen Wilson	0	7	9
Rich Euerid	0	7	6	Ed Hawes	0	8	1
Josep Kingsbery	0	9	5	Tho Fisher	0	4	4
Timo Dwight	0	16	0	Nath Chickring	0	4	6
Hen Wight	0	14	3	Dan Fisher	0	4	0
Liu Nath Starns	0	5	0	Nath Eaton	0	3	3
Ser Rich Elice	0	6	8	Nath Kingsbury	0	2	11
Ser Ralp Day	0	10	10	John Mason	0	5	11
Ser Dan Pond	0	10	8	Asel Smith	0	2	10
John Bacon	0	10	9	Sam Euerid 4s 8d	0	16	8
Nath Fisher	0	5	2	Ralp Freeman	0	4	11
An Duine	0	12	1	Jona: Fullar	0	4	01
Rob Ware	0	12	6:	Ezra Morse	0	4	7
John Fairbank Seno	0	10	3	John Guild	0	11	4
Tho Metcalf	0	8	1	Jona Fairbank	0	4	9
Rob Fullar	0	7	1	Will Auery	0	5	1
Tho Hering	0	7	6	Joshu Fisher	0	7	8
Isaac Bulard	0	6	0	John Fairbank Junor	0	5	7
Nath Bulard	0	3	11	John Fullar Junor	0	2	1
Chri Smith	0	6	6	Jam Macanab	0	4	1
Tho Battely	0	11	3	John Macintosh	0	3	9
Tho Aldridg	0	9	1	Jam Grant	0	3	6
[85] Sam Gay	0	5	0	Jam Macarwithy	0	3	7
Nath Gay	0	6	1	Nill Maciah	0	3	11
John Hunting	0	5	7	John Richard	0	5	8
John Piddge	0	7	5	Nath Colburn Jun	0	4	0

John Colburn	0	3	7	Elic Wood	0	1	8
John Dean	0	2	3	Josep Skelton	0	2	8
Jam Vales	0	9	3	Tho Payne Junor	0	3	3
Jona Metcalf	0	2	6	John Baker	0	5	1
John Houghton	0	5	0	Hen Eliot	0	2	1
Ephra Wight	0	0	3	Sam Barber	0	2	8
Sam Parker	0	5	4	Amo: Fisher			
Tho Clap	0	6	5	Jam Thorp	0	6	0
Caleb Church	0	1	2	Jona Freeman	0	2	1
Isaac Chinery	0	5	0	Gorg Westbroke	0	4	2
Tho Boyden	0	0	6	Tho Bishoop	0	2	1
Vid Fisher	0	7	8	Will Dean	0	1	8
Vid Morse	0	0	6	Eph Endin	0	2	1
Vid Haiward	0	3	11				

Asembled 13 10 1675 Cap Fisher Ed Richard Hen Wight John Aldus: John Farington Dan Pond Timo Dwight

Reconed with Capt Fisher and all Acout Balnced betwixt the Towne whatsoeuer and remayn due to the Towne to be payd in mony one poud eight shilling peny 1£—8s—01d

Mony payd to En Fullars: order for to buy Amonition by Timo Dwight 2£—0s—0d

Mony payd to Cap Fisher for to buy: Amonition by Timothy Dwight 1—0—0

this last twenty: shillings was also by En Fullars order

Bought a lader of Ser Dan Pond for the Meting House in mony 0—11—4

due to the Towne from Ser Pond for pecomputck rate fowerten shilln 4d and for timber to be payd in mon 4s. 0—18—4

Recond with him and due to the Towne to be pay in mony 0—7—0

[36] A bill is giuen to John Dean for killing of a wolfe of: ten 0£ 10s 0d

14: 5 1675 Reconed with Nath Fisher Counstable: in the behalfe of his partener and him selfe: for the ouerplus of the warr rate made as it is dated in this balanc and their is due to the Towne to be payd as foloweth 0—2—9

and also three shillinges from 3 medfield men and Ephram Endin fower shilinges is yet due when thay atayn it 0—7—02

Recaiued of thes Counstables aboue writen 0£—3s—9d

Tho Wight payd 3 penc being ouer rated and it is excepted for one shilling vpon thes Counstables accout 0—1—0

Timothy Dwight is debtor to the Towne for mony 0£—3s—0d

vpon a full hearinge of that case: depending betwixt John Gay and Samuell Gay: in referanc to trees felled for barke it is ordered that thay: shall pay twelue shilings for: the vse of the Towne and all former conclutions refering heere vnto is voide

20: 10 75 Asembled: Capt Dan Fisher Hen Wight John Farington Timo Dwight John Aldus: Edw Richards:

An account of the Townes amunition deliuered in to the hand of En Tho Fullar two barill of powder cost ten pounds: three hundred waight of lead fower pounds Mach twelue shilling sixpenc this estat in his hand which is the Towne stocke: in mony is 14£ 12s 6d more payd to him for carring from Bostowne 0—5—0

Reconed with En Tho Fullar 17 10 1675 and due to him from the Towne the Just sume of 0£ 18s 4d to be payd in mony he paying for the charge of the room to secure the Amunition and fiue pouds and one quarter of pouder for the great gun

A bill is giuen to En Tho Fullar to recaiue of Timothy Dwight 18s 4d out of the mony that is due to the Towne from him

A bill giuen to Eleazer Metcalf for killing of a woolfe of ten shilligs 10s

Reconed: with John Richards: and Tho Aldridg late Counstables: and thay: paying John Aldus and Tho Metcalfe: thier billes gronted in 74 there remayn due to: The Towne from thes cunstables ten shilings and nine penc 10s–9d of thos 3 rates comited to them in the yeare 1674:

20 7 1675: Asembled Cap Dan Fisher Edwar Richards: John Farington John Aldis and Hen Wight

To reacon with the late Counstables: the Elder being present it was agreed: that Ser Auery: Seno and Richard Euerid: shall set in the Deacons seat: Timothy Dwight in the first seat Ser Tho Fuller in the second and John Aldis in third seat:

This day: Hen Wight and Ser Richard Elic are deputed to joyn with John Aldis to make vp the account refering to our reuerend Pastors Salery and bring it to the select men:

Reconed: with Timothy Dwight for a debt: he ingaged: to pay: for Fardinando Tear 10s and Good: Rockwod: 18s of Mendon: and due to the Towne the Just sume of eighten Shilings: 0–18–0:

31 10 75 Mony due to the Towne from seuerall men that bought land of the Comity impoured to sell land to procure on hudred pound for our reuerend Pastor

[87]	£	s	d		£	s	d
Tho Aldridg	1	15	0	Tho Fisher	0	19	0
Ralph Freeman	0	8	0	Timothy Dwight	6	2	3
Ezra Morse and Nath Chickring	6	0	0		15	4	3
More mony due to the Towne in seuerall hand as apper by the booke					01	18	1

yeare: 72: this leat

More due to the Towne for Meadow let by Nath Colburn and Ser Elic to Jams Vales and Sam Parker com̄ Meadow neere the Saw Mill £ s d 0—10—0

and to Tho Clap: com̄on Medow neer the Saw Mill 0— 3—0

The billes giuen out Amounting to eighten pouds: six shillings ten pen 18—6—10

which ouerplus of the rates: now in the Counstabes: we think will: Satisfy:

More due to the Towne in com̄on pay 2—7—4

3. 11. 75. [1] Received for my yearly maintenance of ye Deacon & by his Order for ye year beginning September 15. 1674 & ending Sept. 15. 1675. ye full & just summe of threscore pounds in money or what hath been as money upon the Account of the town of Dedham, By Me

WILLIAM. ADAMS.

3 11 75 At a generall meeting it was proposed to the Towne whither thay would haue a Schoole for the present

This motion was put to voat and it is left to the select men now to be choosen

A motion beinge: made to the Towne whither they would beare the charge of the healinge of John Hawes leage that was hurt in prouiding timber for fortification referinge to securinge: the Towne: from the Endines: and this was voated in the afarmitue:

John Gay and Sam Gay: mad a motion to the Towne whither thay: will remit that fine of twelue shillings impoosed vpon them for trees fell by them for barke and this was remited by the Towne:

A motion made by: Ser Elic to Exchage a parcel of land granted him: at pond pleyn for a parcell that lyeth on the North side of Roxbury playne: adjoyning to Cambridg line:

This land is granted if it doth apper to: to be the Towns that the sayd Richard Elic: shall take vp so many: Acres: as he doth lay downe at pond pleyne and the remainder is also granted at an equall prise being so Judge by En Tho Fuller. John Aldus and Henery Wight

John Dean Make a motion to the Towne: that thay will giue him on Acre or an Acre and halfe Swampp meaddow adjoynng to the casey leadinge to the great playne this this land is gronted to him it lyeth one the North East side of this Casey: prouded he shall not take the Towne Timber to fence it with

A motion made by John Baker: he desire liberty: to buy some timber that is falne by: the winde and is not fit for fencinge this is granted and to: be sold vnto him by Edword Richerds and Henery Wight

[1] Receipt in handwriting of Rev. Mr. Adams.

Timothy Dwight is chosen to keep the Towne Booke for the year insuing and to be one of the seauen men: Cap Dan Fisher Edw Richard John Farington: John Aldus: Hen Wight Ser Ponde are choosen to be select men: for the yere insuinge like wise

[88] Serueyer choosen for the yere insuinge Nath Colburne En Fullor Tho Metcalfe Tho Battely: and Jams Vales for the Saw Mill

15 11 75 Asembled in the afternoone Cap Dan Fisher Ser Ponde Hen Wight Timo Dwight

The law requiringe select men to take care of youth for their orderly and sutable behauioer in the House of god and for that end the law require meet seats: that thay may be wacht ouer: we haue agreed with Ser Dan Pond to erect two seats: in the Alyes. one on the North side in the meeting House agaynst the ends of the mens seats the other before the mens seats: in the midle: row: And also: two seats on: one the south side: of the Meting House at the end of the old: seats: and the other before the womins seats in the midle: row. and to that end he is to recaiue of the Towne: eight shillings in mony

13 1 75-6 Asembled at Night Cap Fisher John Aldus: Hen Wight John Farington Ser Pond

Recaiued a noat from the select men of Roxbury: refering to the setling the bounds: betwixt them and vs:

Capt Daniell Fisher is desired to procure the Court order rcfearing to that matter before the 20th day of this Instont

Capt Dan Fisher Nat Colburn Seno: Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Ric Elic John Farington Ser Dan Pond Tim Dwight Thes men are deputed to atend this seruic according to law Nath Colburn John Aldus: and Ser Elic are deputed to looke this line: before the 20th of this Instant if need be:

John Aldus: is deputed to repaire the Poud:

Ser Pond is deputed to repaire the Stoockes:

Vewers of fences are as foloweth: for the East part of the Towne from the key to pond in the Swamp neere the Eldrs House Nath Fisher and John Bacon:

[89]. For the west part of the Towne John Farington Isaac Bulard For the Great playne Tho Aldridg Tho Fisher and John Bacon For the South Playn John Gay Seno Nath Colburn Seno: For the low playne John Farington: Ser Rich Elic:

7: 1: 1676 Asembled: Capt Dan Fisher: John Aldus: John Farington Ed Richards: Hen Wight: Timo Dwight:

Nath Colburn Seno is chosen sealer: for the year insuing

15 3 1676 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher: Hen Wight Ser Pond John Aldus John Farington Timo Dwight

Granted liberty: to John Gay John Fullar Juner: Hen Wight Ser Pond to pill such timber as thay haue ochation: for at present prouided: thay doe

improue: the timber betwixt: this tim and the first of August: or else euery: on: to be liable to Ansur the Towne order referig to berke

Capt Fisher: John Aldus being: chosen to treat with Mr Man to keep the Schoole: thier returne is that he is willing: to that seruic provided the Select men and he do agree:

Asembled 17th 4 1676: Capt Dan Fisher Hen Wight Ed Richards: John Aldus Timo Dwight

Concidering the great charges that the Towne is at this yeare The select men do order that only one suficent day worke shall be required this present year: in the Highways

24 4 1676 Asembled to make the warr rate that is tenpenc vpon the poud by vertew of an order from the generall Court and a warant from the tresuerer: asenbd Capt Dan Fisher John Aldus Henery Wight Ser^{t} Pond Timo Dwight:

Agreed with Nath Kingsbury: to Swepe the Meting house and to ringe the Bell: for one yeare: for which he is to recaiue of the Towne fifty shillings: his yeare begine the 17th of 2 mo 1676

A bill is granted to Nath Kingsbury: to recaue of the Counstabl 1£—10^{s}—0^{d}

Asembled to make the contry rate 29 6 mo 1676: Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Cap Dan Fisher: En Tho Comisr Fullar Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to Daniell Pond to recaiue of the Constabls: of deadham out of the warr rate now in your hand: of 0—16—8

Timothy Dwight is orderded to pay En Tho Fullore in mony twelue Shilling 0—12^{s}—0

[40] Timothy Dwight is creditor for mony to: Daud Faukneer vpon the Townes Accet to buy Amunition to secure the mill tenn shillngs 10^{s}

24 4 1676 A rate made for the defraying the charge: for the warre at 10^{d} vpon the poud: and the ouerpluse for the vse of the Towne:

	£	s	d				
				John Aldus	5	0	10
Eld John Hunting	1	11	8	John Farington	6	13	4
Capt Dan Fisher	5	17	6	Liue Nath Starns	2	5	0
Peter Woodward	7	0	0	Ser Rich Elic	3	6	8
John Gay	7	14	2	Ser Ralph Day	5	6	8
Doc Will Auery	8	0	0	Ser Dan Pond	5	0	0
Ed Richards	7	10	10	John Bacon	5	7	6
Nath Colbur. Seno	5	2	6	Ester Fisher	2	15	10
En Tho Fullar	4	10	0	And Duin	6	0	10
Richa Euered	3	15	0	Rob Ware	6	5	0
Nath Whitinge	4	19	2	John Fairbank Seno	5	12	6
Timo Dwight	9	0	10	Tho Metcalf	4	0	10
Hen Wight	7	2	6	Rob Fullar	3	10	10

Tho Hering	3	5	0
Vid Bulard	2	3	4
Nath Bulard	3	0	0
Christo Smith	3	5	0
Tho Battely	5	12	6
Tho Aldridg	4	10	10
Sam Gay	2	10	0
John Hunting	2	15	10
John Pigge:	3	14	2
John Euerid	2	12	6
Tho Payn Seno	3	10	10
Tho Jurdin	1	0	0
John Fullar Seno	2	12	6
Micall Metcalf	3	6	8
John Rice:	3	0	0
John Eaton	2	1	8
	£	s	d
Hen Wilson	3	17	6
Ed Hawes	4	0	10
Tho Fisher	2	3	4
Nath Chickringe	2	0	0
Mr John Alines Estat	1	0	0
Johna Fairbank Juner	1	0	10
Vig Fisher	1	0	10
Sam Milles	2	13	4
Daniel Fisher	2	8	4
Nath Eaton	1	12	6
Nath Kingsbury	1	10	0
John Mason	2	5	0
Asel Smith	0	11	8
Sam Euerid	2	6	8
Ralp Freeman	2	9	2
Johana Fullar	2	10	0
Ezra Morse	2	5	10
John Guild	5	13	4
Jonath Fairbank Seno	3	8	4
Will Auery:	2	15	0
Joshua Fisher	4	17	6

John Fairbank Junr	2	15	10
John Fullar Juner	1	0	10
Jam Macanab	2	0	0
John Macatosh	1	10	0
Nath Gay	3	0	10
Jam: Grant	1	15	0
Jam Macarwithe	1	10	0
Nill Macaiah	1	19	2
John Richards	2	16	8
Nath Colburn Junr	2	0	0
John Colburn	1	15	10
John Dean	1	2	6
Jams Vales	4	12	6
Jonath Metcalf	1	5	0
John Houghton	2	0	0
Sam Parker	1	3	4
Tho Clap	2	10	0
Caleb Church	0	11	8
Isaac Chineery	2	10	1
Tho Boyden	0	5	0
Vid Fisher	03	16	8
Vid Morse	0	5	0
[41] Vid Haiward	2	10	0
Elic Wood	0	16	8
Josep Skelton	1	0	0
Tho Pain Juner	1	12	6
John Baker	2	10	10
Amos Fisher	0	8	4
Jams Thorpe	3	10	0
Elea Kingsbury	4	14	2
Jona Freemon	1	0	10
Vid Westbroke	1	0	0
Tho Bishop	1	0	10
Will Dean	0	16	8
Ben Mills	1	10	0
Ephrar Endian	1	0	10
Sam Barber	1	6	8

20 9 mo 1676 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards: John Aldus: Henery Wight Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

A Motion made by Peter Woodward Juner to take vp a parcel of land neere the low playn: that is due to him vpon his Netick deuident

Hen Wight John Fayrbank Seno and Tho Metcalf are deputed to vew

this land and make return to the Select men: and are further ordered to lay out so much land to Pet Woodard as thay finde to be his Just due:

Ser Richard Elic and Timo Dwight is chosen to Joyny with John Aldus to make vp the Account for this year refering to Mr Adams yerly salery and to make a returne vnto the select men:

11: 10: 1676 Asembled to finish the warr rate: Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus: Ser Pond Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to Ben Mills to recaiue of the Constables ten shiling for killing a wolfe:

Reconed with Capt Dan Fisher all account Balanced with him vpon the Booke what so euer: and a bill grated for his dyet one poud 2^{s} 7^{d} and another for his Deptus: Alowonc: of thre: pounds: more payd him 2^{s}—4^{d}

A rate made for the defraying: the Charge for the warr at 6^{d} vpon the pound by a Court order and a warrant from the Tresurer and the ouer pluse: to the vse of the Towne

	£	s	d
Eld John Huntinge	0	18	7
Capt Dan Fisher	2	17	3
Peter Woodward	3	9	7
John Gay	3	17	9
Doc Will Auery	3	15	3
Edw Richards	4	11	3
Nath Colburn	3	6	7:
En Tho Fullar	2	6	6
Rich Euerid	2	6	9
Nath Whiting	2	19	4
Timo Dwight	4	16	3:
Hen Wight	3	16	1
John Aldis	2	8	8
Vid Farington	3	12	7
Liu Nath Starns	1	1	9:
Ser Rich Elic	1	18	1
Ser Dan Pond	2	17	6
Ser Ralph Day	3	4	3:
John Bacon	3	03	9
Ester Fisher	1	9	3
And Duin	3	2	6
Rob Ware	3	14	10
Tho Battely	3	09	9:
John Fairbank Seno	2	8	3
Tho Metcalf	2	4	3
Rob Fullar	1	14	0
Tho Heringe	2	7	0
Vid Bulard	0	17	7
Nath Bulard	1	16	2
Vid Smith	1	13	1
Tho Aldridge	2	10	7
Sam Gay	1	6	6
John Hunting	1	13	6
John Pigge	2	3	6
John Euerid	0	9	10
Tho Payn	2	3	1

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	£	s	d
Tho Jurdin	1	3	1
John Fullar Seno	1	18	9
Mica Metcalfe	1	19	9
John Rice	2	10	9
John Eaton	1	8	0
Hen Wilson	1	19	10
Ed Hawes	2	5	10
Tho Fisher	1	8	1
Nath Chickring	1	10	3
Mr John Alins Estat	0	12	0
John Fairbank Junr	1	10	7
Viglonc Fisher	0	11	6
Sam Mills	01	11	4
Peter Woodward	0	1	11
Dan Fisher	1	9	4
Nath Heaton	0	19	6

Nath Kingsbury	0	19	6	John Houghten	1	0	6
John Mason	1	5	1	Sam Parker	0	10	0
Asel Smith	0	13	4	Tho Clape	0	15	0
Sam Euerid	0	16	0	Isaac Chinery	0	0	0
Ralph Freeman	1	7	9:	Tho Boyden	0	3	0
Jona Fullar	0	19	4	Joan Fisher	2	0	0
Ezra Morse	1	12	0	Vid Morse	0	2	6
John Guild	3	9	9	Vid Haiward	1	12	0
Jona Fairbank	1	12	8	Josep Skelton	0	15	9
Will Auery	1	11	9	John Baker	1	7	63
Josh Fisher	2	5	3	Sam Barber	1	1	6
John Fullar Juner	0	17	6	Amo Fisher	0	12	6
Jam Macanab	1	1	10	Jam: Thorp	1	7	3
John Macantosh	0	17	7	Jona Freeman	0	12	6
Rich Benit	0	10	0	Vid Westbroke	0	7	6
	£	s	d	Eleaz Kingsbury	2	7	01
Nath Gay	1	11	9	Benj Mills	1	3	10
Jam Grant	0	16	0	Timo Dwight	0	2	11
Jam Macorwithy	1	1	10	Josep Newbury	0	5	0
Nill Maciah	1	6	6	Ephra Endine	0	12	6
John Richards	1	13	3	Thomos Payn	0	15	9
Nath Colburn Juner	1	6	10				
John Colburn	1	14	11	the sum totall	165	17	6
John Dean	0	15	7	Aded to this rate	0	9	3
Jam Vales	1	10	0	more	0	9	11
Jona Metcalf	0	17	9:				

Liberty is granted to Nathaniel Ware to get so much timber of the comon as will build him a shoope to weaue in:

A bill is granted to Seth Smith of ten shillings for killing of a wolfe

A bill is giuen to John Aldis six shilings: and: six penc for work at the Schoole House

A bill is giuen to Edw Haws: of eight 8s shilings: for larthinge and dabing the schoole House:

27 10 1676 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards: Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

Reconed with Nathaniel Gay Constable for the rates: in 75 and due to the Towne from him vpon the Balnce 0£—16s—6d

The serueyers: present thier bills and the defects are as foloweth

[48] And Duin on day ×	0	6	0	Sam Euerid on day	0×	2	0
Ezra Morse on day	0	2	0	John Fullar Juner	0	2	0
Ralph Freman on day	0	2	0	Sam Parker on day	0	2	0
John Euerid on day	0	4	0				

Brother Aldus this day presenting an Accovnt of the payments: refering to our pasters Salery for the last year endinge the 15th of the 7th 76 and he also informe vs that our Pasture: taking notice of the present Charge of the Towne: he willinge to giue: out of his Salery eight pound for this year past to be at the Townes dispoose:

Vpon Consideration: we finde so many persons gone out of the Towne that Amount to on poud three Shilings eight penc the remainder: brother Aldus propound: Som persons: nesessaty: call for Some Abatment if the Towne shall se Cause: : the remainder we prepound to the Towne whither thay will order: the next yeers Asessment to be so much lesse or to giue it to Mr Man:

Timo Dwight is creditor for mony disbursed for glasse for the Schoole House Seauen Shilings:

A Bill is giuen to Sam Hunting to recaiue of the Consteble for killing two woolues on poud 1£—0—0

Accouts belnge Balnced: refering to the Towne: and ther is due from seuerall perticular men in mony about 12£—0s—0d to the Towene

And more due as ouer pluse of rates: as Accounts now stand that is credit for the Towne about 11—0—0

Propotition whither the Towne: will not se reason: to send out a floock of sheepe this next yeare insuinge:

The valewation of Houses as foloweth

	£						
				Hen Wight	8	0	0
Eld John Hunting	9	0	0	John Bacon	8	0	0
Capt Dan Fisher	10	0	0		£		
Peter Woodward	12	0	0	Tho Battely	9	0	0
Nath Colburn	07	0	0	Ester Fisher	7	0	0
Edw Richards:	15	0	0	John Aldus	9	0	0
John Gay	10	0	0	Ralph Day	[*6]7	0	0
Ric Euerid	06	0	0	Dan Pond	6	0	0
Doc Will Auery	10	0	0	Tho Hering	4	0	0
Ser Tho Fullar	6	0	0	Tho Metcalf	12	0	0
Timo Dwight	30	0	0	John Guild	6	0	0
Nath Whitinge	9	0	0	Sam Milles	5	0	0
Vid Farington	12	0	0	Hen Wilson	3	0	0
John Fairbanke Seno	6	0	0	Jonath Fairbank	8	0	0
Tho Payne Seno	[*3]7	0	0	Tho Jurdin	3	0	0
Vid Smith	4	0	0	Nath Chickring	4	0	0
Rob Ware	7	0	0	Jams Thorp	6	0	0
Rob Fullar	06	0	0	Nath Bulard	3	0	0
Liu Nath Starns	04	0	0	John Richards	9	0	0
Ser Ric Elic	3	0	0	John Pigge	5	0	0
And Duin	6	0	0	John Euerid	5	0	0

[44] Tho Fisher	3	0	0	Jona Fullar	4	0	0
Micall Metcalfe	6	0	0	John Dean	3	0	0
Sam Gay	2	0	0	Nath Colburn Junr	2	0	0
Edw Hawes	4	0	0	Jams Grant	1	0	0
Tho Aldridg	8	0	0	John Fullar Senor	3	0	0
Josh Fisher	18	0	0	Will Auery	10	0	0
John Mason	6	0	0	Jam Macanab	1	0	0
John Eaton	2	0	0	John Macantosh	2	0	0
Ralph Freeman	2	0	0	Wid Morse	2	0	0
Ezra Morse	4	0	0	John Colburn	2	0	0
Nath Gay	10	0	0	Jam Macarwithy	1	0	0
Dan Fisher	3	0	0	John Hubard	0	0	0
John Fairbank Juner	7	0	0	Wid Haiward	5	0	0
Nath Kingsbury	2	0	0.	The Mills	40	0	0
John Baker	5	0	0	Mr Fisher	2	0	0
Sam Euerid	1	0	0	Eleaz Kingsbury	7	0	0
Wid Fisher	5	0	0	Doc Auery	6	0	0
Amos Fisher	4	0	0	Jose Wight	3	0	0
John Gay	3	0	0	John Battely	1	0	0

1. 11. 1676. [1]Received for my yearly maintenance for ye year beginning Sept. 15. 1675 & ending Sept. 15. 1676. of ye Deacon & by his Order ye full Summe of fifty & two pounds in mony or as mony upon the account of the town of Dedham with which I am satisfyed for y^{t} said year. By me

WILLIAM ADAMS.

1 11 1676: At a general meeting Eld John Huntinge Capt Dan Fisher and John Aldus: was chosen to: returne the reurend Mr Adams thanks for his gratefulns to the Towne:

In Answer to the motion referinge to keepinge: out a floocke of sheep: about the Towne it was voate generaly to be left to the select men to be chose to do what thay may think most meet in that case:

The looses: and dificalty of Mr Man of Wrentham that he is now: in theu considration thier of the Towne haue giuen him fower pouds: forty shillings in or as mony and the other forty out of Towne rate now in thier constables: hand

The Towne doe heer by Imply: the select men to be choosen to proportion: our reuerand Pastor salerey for one year and quarter: beginninge: the 15 September: and order that thay doe act by the same rules that the comity: formerly acted by:

Capt Fisher is chosen to repaire to the cousel or elce whear: to obtayn order: that the pay disbursed by the Towne sinc may: to promote the warr: might be now alowed to each men as it is due to him from the Countery:

[1] In handwriting of Rev. William Adams.

The Towne by voat declare that no person shall entertayne any Indine in to any family what so euer excpt Ephrame Endine: and that no Endine shall reside with in the Towne bounds with out aprobation from the select men to be chosen:

Timothy Dwight is chosen to keep the Townes Booke and to be one of the select men for the .yeare insuinge: Capt Dan Fisher John Aldus: Edw Richards: Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond and Tho Battely are chosen select men for the year insuing

Nath Colburn En Tho Fullar Tho Metcalf and Tho Battely are chosen seueyors for the yeare insuinge

Capt Fisher Doc Will Auery En Tho Fuller are nominated to be comitiner for the Town and [ ] is desired to present them To the [45] county Court that so thay may be Impoired:

Joshua Fisher make a motion for a small porcell of Swamp: neer the south playne Abuting vpon his owne Swamp South wast it is granted and to be vewewed and valewed: to him for the Towne at the discresion of John Gay and Ser Elic

John Gay: make a motion to take vp: a Small parcell of land neere wolfe pitt Hill for the shortininge of his fenc it Abut vpon his meadow North: and it is to be vewed and valewed by En Tho Fullar and Rob Ware for the Towne: this is granted:

Henery Wight Eleaz Kingsbury: make a motion to: take vp a parcell of land: vpon a deuuident Account next to be layd out vpon an Iland: comonly called Mr Powells Iland Abuting: vpon the land of Henery Wight toward the east and the meadow of Eleaz Kingsbury: towords the North and a dich already: made towards: the west and to be layd out at the discresion of En Tho Fullar and Tho Aldridg: This is granted:

Micall Metcalf make a motion to take vp a Small parcell of land neer the Clay pits: by the House some times John Kingsburys: this is granted and to be set out to him at the discresion of John Bacon:

Samuel Mills make a motion to take vp a parcell of land: neere a parcell of land.Some times John Litilfield: he desire it vpon a deuident Account next to be layd out: this is granted and to be layd out at the discresion: of En Fullar and Tho Aldridg: and make a return to the select men:

A motion made by John Fullar: Senor to take vp a parcell of land: on the north east side: of his House ouer the high waye: the stons in that land remayninge to the vse of the Towne for ten yers: this is granted: to him at the discrsion of Rob Ware: and Timothy Dwight eyther to sell him or to take it vpon a deuident next to be layd ouet

Granted to Nathaniell Kingsbury: on Small parcell of land adjoynige to a parcell that he bought of the Towne on the North side of Chorle Riuer to be layd out at the discresion: of En Fullar Ser Elic and Timo Dwight and to

be disposed of to him by them eyther for mony or for deuident next to be layd out

Granted to Joan Fisher a small parcell of land lying neer to here dwelling House: to be layd out at the discresion of Liut Starns Ser Elic Tho Metcalfe: thay to agree with here eyther for deuident: next to be layd out or other wise as thay se meet

Granted to Ben Mills: on Small parcell of land: on the South: side of his lond: that his father gaue: him: to be layd out at the discresion of En[s] Fullar and: Tho Aldridge: vpon the Accout: of deuident next to be layd: out

Granted to Ezra Morse a parcell of land not excding ten Acres: to be layd out by Tho Battely: and Ser Elic neere: some land of John Euerids: by the planting field: and to be sold to him at thier discresion: for mony or other wise:

Granted: to Jams Thorpe a parcll of land Abutinge vpon Jam Grant to be layd out at the descresion: of Ser Elic Tho Metcalf and Timo Dwight and he to satisfy for it out of the next deuident to be layd out

Capt Fisher is nominated to mary Persos and to giue oath and the Constoble is desired to present him to the Court that so he may be impoured

[46] 16 11 mo 1676 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Tho Battely Timo Dwight

To proportion the reuerand M[r] William Adams salery for on year and quarter accordinge to voat of the Towne at the generall metinge

	£	s	d				
				And Duine	1	6	0
Cap[t] Dan Fisher	1	4	2	Rob Ware	1	11	0
Pet Woodward	1	13	0	Tho Battely	1	8	9
John Gay	1	14	0	John Fairbank Seno	1	0	0
Do Will Auery	3	0	0	Tho Metcalfe	1	3	0
Edw Richard	2	2	0	Rob Fullar	0	14	2
Nath Colburn	1	7	6	Tho Heringe	0	19	7
En Tho Fullar	0	19	9	Vid Bulard	0	7	4
Rich Euerid	0	16	0	Nath Bulard	0	14	0
Nath Whiting	1	4	8	Vid Smith	0	13	9
Timo Dwight	3	0	0	John Richards	0	14	0
Hen Wight	1	11	8	Jams Thorpe	0	14	0
De John Aldus	1	0	4	Tho Aldridge	01	4	0
Vid Farington	1	10	3:	Sam Gay	0	11	1
Liu Nath Starns:	0	9	1	John Huntinge	0	14	4
Ser Rich Elic	0	15	10	John Pigge	1	0	0
Ser Dan Pond	1	3	11	John Euerid	0	12	6
Ser Ralp Day	1	3	0	Tho Payn Senor	0	18	0
John Bacon	1	8	0	Tho Jurdine	0	8	7
Est Fisher	0	12	2	John Fullar Seno	0	14	0

Mica Metcalfe	0	16	07	Jams: Macanob	0	9	1
Elea Kingsbury	0	17.	5	John: Macintosh	0	6	0
John Rice	0	18	0	Jams Grant	0	6	8
Nath Gay	0	15	0	Jams Macarwithy	0	9	1
John Eaton	0	10	0	John Baker	0	11	4
Hen Wilson	0	16	0	Nill Maciah	0	11	0
Edw Haws	0	19	0	Nath Colbur Juner	0	12	0
	£	s	d	John Colburn	0	14	0
Tho Fisher	0	11	8	John Dean	0	6	6
Nath Chickringe	0	10	0	Jams Vales	0	10	0
John Fairbanke	0	12	9	Jona Metcalf	0	7	3
Vig: Fisher	0	4	10	John Houghton	0	6	0
Sam Milles	0	13	1	Sam Parker	0	4	0
Dan Fisher	0	12	3	Tho Clape	0	5	0
Nath Heaton	0	8	2	Tho Boyden	0	1	3
Nath Kingsbury	0	12	0	Joan Fisher	0	13	0
John Mason	0	10	0	Vid Morse	0	5	0
Asel Smith	0	5	7	Vid Haiward	0	13	4
Sam Euerid	0	6	8	Sam Barber	0	8	0
Ralph Freman	0	10	0	Amos Fisher	0	5	3
Jonath Fullar	0	8	1	Jonath Freman	0	5	3
Edzra Morse	0	13	4	Vid: Westbroocke:	0	3	0
John Guild Samuel	1	9	0	Ben: Mills:	0	10	0
Jonath Fairbanke	0	13	0	Jose: Newbury	0	3	0
Will Auery	0	16	0	Tho Payne	0	6	7:
Joshua Fisher	1	0	0	Josep Skelton	0	2	0
John Fullar Junor	0	7	4	Ephra Ridgeman	0	5	3:

[47] In Answer to the voat of the Towne whereby thay haue declared thier onwilingness to haue any Indins entertayned in the Towne: the select men do giue Peter Woodward Juner warninge that the first oportunity: he do dispoose of: or put thos Indins: that now liue with him out of this Towne according to the fore sayd voat of the Towne:

16: 11: 76 And the sayd Peter Woodward: do heerby bind him selfe for the securety of the Towne in the full and penall some of on hundred: and fifty: pound in Currant Countery: payment: to Answer all damages by those indion that shall com to the Towne or any porson: or estat in the Towne: at any time done before: he hath disposed of all thos Endins: out of the Towne: that is now vnder his custody: to the trew and due performonc of all the abue demised premises: with out any fraud or desayt I the sayd Peter Woodward: bind my self heyer exectors: Adminstratos: or asignes: to the select men of the Towne of dedham for the time beinge: in witnesse here of I haue heer vnto set to my hand [1] Peter Woodword

[1] Autograph.

[1] it is acknowledged by the select men that this band is voide and of non efect 23: 11: 1681

22 11 1676 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Tho: Battely Timothy Dwight

In Answer to John Macintosh: cominge to vs 16 11 moth: manifesting that he hath a child that he hath one child that is a great charge: to him by reason of weakns vpon serious: consideration: the selectmen do order that with in on month he shall finde a sutable place that he may: and do despose of his other sons as an aprentise: for a sutable: and conueniant time or elce the select men will dispoose as the law hath direct in that case by a sutable and conueniant time is to be vnderstood to put his son an apprentice: vntill he atayne to the age of twenty and on yers: And we do further order: the Counstables: to alow him 3 bushels of Endin out of the rates now in your hand: for his present suply:

A bill is giuen to Mr Sam Man to recaiue of the constables: out of the rate now in your hand: 2£—0^s^—0^d^

A bill is giuen to Mr Man to recaue of John Aldus in or or as mony 2£—0—0

5 12 76 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Pond Tho Battely and Timothy Dwight

Payd Mr Sam Man in mony forty shillings according to the voat of the Towne at the generall meeting

Be it know to all men that we Sam Mills: and Ben Mills do Joyntly and seueraly binde our selue: Heyers: and exectors: in the penall some of eighty: Pounds in Curant Countery payment: to secure the Towne from damage that may com by twoo young endians: put to vs by Athority of the Countery: I say we the Above sayd Samuel and Ben Mills doe binde our selvs: as is aboue expressd to the select men of Dedham for the time beinge: and we do further Ingage: to pay: or cause to be payd to the Towne or to the order of the Towne fiue shillings each of vs for our neglecting the order of the Towne refering to entertaininge with out librty: witnesse our hands:

[2] Samell Miells
baniaman mills

This Aboue sayd ten shilings due to the Towne is satisfied by a woolfe killed by Ben Milles

Vewers of fences as foloweth John Fairbank Senor and Tho Metcalf for the East Street and part of the midle playne as formerly: for the remander [48] of the Towne John Gay and John Bacon: and all the out fields vpon the North sid Chorls: riuer: For the great playne: Hen Wight John Bacon: John Fullar: Jun: and Nath Bulord for the South sid: of Charles Riuer: and the filds Ajsant Nath Gay: Nat Chickring for the South playn and Pond

[1] This sentence written in different hand. [2] Autographs.

playne Tho Fisher and Daniell Fisher: for Ponsit field plonting Field: and purgetory Playne and thos fields thier About: Sam Gyuild: John Euerid: For Roxbury Playn Ezra Morse: and: Nath Colburn Juner:

Nath Colburn seno is Chosen sealer for the year insuing according to law:

Whear: as thier is complaynt of much damage done by Swine notwithstanding all former orders: in that case prouided: It is thierfor heere by ordered and Inacted that all swine: of thre months ould and vpward: shall be well and soficantly ringed: and from the Age of 2 moths ould thay: shall be soficently: yoaked: from: the 25 march to the last of October: except such: as be keept: vp in a Cloose: yard: or Stie And for the beter execution of this order Sam Euerid and Joseph Dean are choosen and Impoured to Yoake and Ringe all such: swine as are defectiue: in eyther: at any: time: and for thier labour and Care: thay shall recaiue: of the owners of the swine: for yoaking: 6d and for ringing 3d all in mony: all such swine as are found more: then two milles: from the meeting House: thay shall recaiue on shilling for yoaking and sixpenc for ringing: each swine and if the owner of the swine refuse or neglect to make payment vpon demand according to this order: the persons: Impoured: repairing to the select men who shall forthwith: Isue out warants: to the Constables: to leaue the mony: vpon the persons: concarned: together with indifrant recompenc for thier labour and time: to procur such swine as are remoat to a conueniant place of yoaking and ringing: and if any swine so yoaked or ringed: by the persons heerby Impoured: and the owner not knowne: thay are heer by ordered to Impound them and Cause them to be Cryed: as the law: direct: and no owner appering the sayd swine: shall be sould by an outcry: the Charges: to be defrayed: and the remaynder: to be keep for the owner by the select men:

The persons aboue named neglecting to prosecut the Aboue sayd order shall be responsiue to the select men: for the vse of the Towne: so much for euery swine: as thay are to recaiue for yoaking and ringing:

The serueyers: are heere by ordered and desired to Improue on third part of the time in highway worke in clearing: lands ajasent roud the Towne: of brush to acomodat sheep vpon the comon as the law in that Case direct:

A bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher for two publique Towne metings: and other expences 1£ 17s 0d

12: 1: 76–7 Asembled Capt Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond and Timothy Dwight

Men Apoynted to Burn the woods for the East street Sam Euerid for midle and Smoth Playne: Edwrd Haws: and Tho Fisher: and for the Iland Andrew Dewinge: Sert Elic and Jams Thorp coming to the select men in the behalf of the propriators: at the south end: of the great ceader Swamp and desiring A comity to be Chosen: to run a line betwixt the lots and the comon

Swamp In Answer thier vnto Ser Elic Ser Pond and Daniel Fisher are heer: by Chosen and Impoured to perfict the sayd line

[49] Asembled Capt Dan Fisher: Ed Richards: John Aldus: Tho Battely and Timo Dwight Whear as thier was a dep^{t} of the reuerend Eld John Hunting and Liut Joshua Fisher in the year 65 to make satisfaction to John Eaton for a way through his lot nigh his House: and Liut Fisher being deceased and the worke one done: we haue appoynted and Impoured to Joyne with Eld Hunting Ed Richards: and Rob Ware: or any two of them to do as thay shall Judge right in that case: the first oportunity

2 3 1677: Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight John Aldus Ser Pond Tho Battely Timothy Dwight

In as much as thier is great complaynt of John Fullar Juner for cutting: downe the Townes timber contrary to order: Hen Wight: Ser Pond and John Euerid are desired and Impoured to inquire what is reall in that case and make returne to the select men:

14 3 77: For as much as great compaynt is made of felling and cutting doune both timber and firewood: although much is already downe and not gathred vp: For preuention heer of it is thierfore ordered: that heer forth: thier shall be no tree or stand except: vnderwood or brush: for fire wood or timber feled vpon the comon land except such persons: as shall haue perticular grant from the select men: and directed by such: as thay shall appoynt vpon the penalty of paying two shilings for euery such tree or stand: to be leauied vpon the persons transgressing to be gathred with thier rates: or by warant from the select men: on half to the vse of the Towne and the other halfe to the informer: and this to stand in force for: two: Full years: or till the Towne take further order

Whear as great damage is done: by Horses: in corn fields: meaddows and Pastures: notwithstanding the Court order that thay: shall not go onfet red vpon the Comon: It is thierfore ordered: that whosoeuer shall take vp any Horse Beast one fetred at liberty: in fenced Corn fields: meaddows or Pasturs: and bringe them in to the Poude: thay shall recaiue two shilings sixpenc of the owner of the Beast: for remoat Fields: meaddows and pasturs: and one shilig and threepenc for hom lots meadows and Pastors: to be gathred with thier rates: or by warant from the select men: Prouided this order shall not extend to any mans: Horse beast in his owne propriaty:

Whear as great damage is done by Horses: and oxen: in remoat fenced fields and meaddows being turned loose to feed It is thierfore ordered: that no person shall turne: any Horse Beast or oxe loose to Feed in any comon fenced field with out a sificent keeper: from the first of the 2th moth: to the last of the 8th month: from yeare to yeare: vpon the penalty: of payinge one shilinge: for euery beast so taken and for each time: the one halfe to the vse of the Towne and the other half to the Informer this to be leauied vpon the owner of the Beast with thier rates: or by warant from the select men:

14 3 77: Asembled Capt Fisher Edw Richards Hen Wight Deco John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Tho Battely Tim Dwight

[50] Eleaz Kingsbury make a reqest to haue a tree or two for a grousel for his Barne: his request is granted and John Baker is appoynted: to doe for Eleaz Kingsbury in that Case according to his best discresion John Gay make a request for a parcell of timber to fenc his meadow and vpland that ly vpon Charles: riuer neere: Netick Tho Fisher: is appoynted to set him out so much as is for his present nessesity: Rob Auery: make a motion for a parcell of wood for Coole and a parsell of timber for his shoope Decon Aldus is betrusted to set him out so much: as he haue reall ocation for:

A bill is giuen to Nath Kingsbury to recaiue of the lat Constables 2£ 10^{s} 0^{d}

29 6 1677 Asembled to make the warr rate and take billes for the countery rate Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Edw Richards Hen Wight Tho Battell Ser Pond Timo Dwight Serg^{t} Elic Comitioner

John Dean make a motion for som timber for Coopers ware for the vse of the Towne which motion is granted: prouided he make no wast

Agreed to Post an order to call all soiourners: 10 7 77: for the select mens Alowanc.

Will Dean make a motion: for on timber tree to make windowes for the vse of the Towne this motion is granted

Granted to Amos Fisher and to his heyers for euer: on Acre of the Trainge ground: land: according to the voat: of the Traine Company: to be layd out at the discresion of Ed Richards Henery Wight Thomas Battelly Ser Pond or any three of them.

10: 7: 77 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Sr Dan Pond Tho Battely: Timothy Dwight

Nath Whiting coming to the select men and made a complaynt that Ezra Moorse did do him damage in that the water was stooped contrary to the Towne order for coming to his Mill

Vpon consideration thireof we did desire and Intreat Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Dan Ponde a comity to se that the Float was made at the Mill that the Towne order might in that Case be atended: and make a returne to the select man

The select men: this day to setel the younge persons in such familyes in the Towne as is most sutable for thier good Eleaz Metcalf desire to sojorn at Micall Metcalfes which was Alowed so longe as he demean him self orderly Jonath Freeman desire liberty: to Sojourn in the House of Jonath Fullar whis is is Alowed so longe as he demean him selfe orderly James Vales desire to Soiourn at Rob Fullars House: John Fular desire to Soiourn at Rob Fullar House Amos Fisher desire to Soiourn at his Fathirs House

[51] Nath Ware desire to Sojourn at the House of Joshua Fisher Rob Alinge desire to Sojourn in the House of Tho Fisher Thes are Alowed so longe as thay demean themselus orderly.

En Dan Pond Tho Fisher and Amose Fisher desire liberty to Fell euery on of them a Small parcell of Timber for buildinge which is granted prouid thay make no waste and gather vp what thay may

9: 7: 77: Asembled after lecter: Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Dec Aldus Hen Wight Ser Pond Timothy Dwight

Granted liberty to Nath Chickring to fell timber for to repaire his Barn and timber for to build a leanto:

Grant to John Rice liberty: to Cut a some timber to make a shelter for his Corne

Granted liberty: to Pet Woodward to Fell som timber to make a shelter for his Cattell

28 7 77 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond Timothy Dwight

Concarninge the londing place at Dorchester Mill Ser Pond is choosen and Impoured to demand pay of Gorge: Minot for this present yeare and of any other person that haue formerly Improued it and to leat it for terme of years fôrth one in the Townes behalf according to his best discrsion whear as William Dean haue desired to sojoourn at the House of Ester Fisher vpon Complaynt and proofe of his Ill behauiour the select men declare thay do not alow him to sojourn thear But desire Deac: Aldus to giue notice to Ester Fisher that she entertaye him not vpon the penalty of the Towne order

26 9 77 Asembled to make the Contery rate Capt Fisher Edw Richards Dec Aldis Hen Wight Ser Pond Tho Battely Timothy Dwight

Jams Thorp desire liberty for timble for a Stable: and for twenty rod of fencing: this is granted: Samuel Euerid desire liberty for 16 rods of fencing which is granted John Dean desire to buy one tune of chesnut timber to Cary out of the Towne: it is granted prouided he pay to the vse of the Towne in mony two Shilings:

[52] A list of the Valewation of Houses

	£		
		Timo Dwight	30
Eld John Huntinge	9	Nath Whitinge	6
Capt Dan Fisher	10	Dec Aldus	9
Pet Woodward	12	Vid Farington	12
Nath Colburn Seno	7	John Fairbank Seno	6
Edw Richards	15	Tho Payne	7:
John Gay	10	John Smith	4
Rich Euerid	6	Rob Ware	7
Doc William Auery	14	Rob Fullar	10
En Tho Fullar	6	Liu Nath Starns	4

Serg Rich Elic	3	Tho Aldridg	[*7] 9
And Duin	6	John Hubart	[*1] 0
Hen Wight	8	Mrs Fisher	2
John Bacon	8	Josh Fisher	18
Jams Macorwithy	1	John Mason	7
Rob Auery	3	Jams Vales Juner	2
Tho Bately	9	John Eaton	2
Hest Fisher	[*7] 5	Ralph Freeman	2
Ser Ralph Day	[*6] 7	Ezra Morse	4
Ser Dan Pond	6	Nath Gay	11
Tho Hering	4	Dan Fisher	4
Tho Metcalfe	10	John Fairbank Juner	7
John Guild	6	Nath Kingsbury	2
Sam Milles	[*5] ×	John Baker	7:
Hen Wilson	3	Josia fisher	5
Jonath Fairbank	8	Sam Euerid	1
Tho Jurdin	3	Vid Fisher	2
Nath Chickring	4	Jonath Fullar	4
Ela Kingsbury	7	John Dean	2
Jams Vales Seno	[*7] 5	Nath Colburn	2
Will Auery	[*8] 7	Jams Grant	1
Jams Thorpe	6	John Fullar Senor	3
Nath Bulard	3	John Guild	[*2] 6
John Richards	9	Jams Macanab	1
John Pigge	5	John Macintosh	2
John Euerid	5	Vid Morse	2
Tho Fisher	3	John Colburn	2
Micall Metcalf	4	Vid Haiward	5
Sam Gay	4	Mills	40
Edw Hawes	4	Jonat Metcalf	[*4] 3

Nath Farington	4	Amos Fisher	6	Benj Mils	4
Jona Gay	4	Dani Wight	2	Sam Barber	2

[58] 29: 6 77: Asembled to make the warr rate at sixpenc vpon the poud for the Contery the ouerplus for the vse of the Towne Capt Dan Fisher Hen Wight Edw Richards Dec Aldis Ser Pond Tho Battely Timo Dwight

	£	s	d		£	s	d
				En Tho Fullar	2	6	6
Eld John Hunting	0	18	7	Rich Euerid	2	6	9
Capt Dan Fisher	2	17	3	Nath Whiting	2	19	4
Doc Will Auery	3	15	3	Timo Dwight	4	19	2
John Gay	3	17	9	Hen Wight	3	16	1
Edw Richards	4	10	3	Dec John Alis	2	8	8
Nath Colburn	3	6	7	Vid Farington	3	12	9

Liu Nath Starns	1	1	7
Ser Rich Elic	1	18	1
Ser Dan Pond	2	17	6
Ser Ralp Day	3	4	3
John Bacon	3	3	9
Hest Fisher	1	9	3
And Duin	3	2	6
Rob Ware	3	14	10
Tho Battely	3	9	9
John Fairbank Seno	2	8	3:
Tho Metcalfe	2	4	3
Rob Fullar	1	14	0
Tho Hering	2	7	0
Vid Bulard	0	17	7
Nath Bulard	1	17	2
John Smith	1	13	1
Tho Aldridg	2	10	7
Sam Gay	1	6	6
John Hunting	1	13	6
John Pigge	2	3	6
John Euerid	1	9	10
Tho Payn Seno	2	3	1
Tho Jurdin	1	3	1
	£	s	d
John Fullar Seno	1	13	9
Micall Metcalfe	1	19	9
John Rice	2	10	9
John Eaton	1	8	0
Hen Wilson	1	19	10
Edw Hawes	2	5	10
Tho Fisher	1	8	1
Nath Chickring	1	10	3
Mr John Alins Estat	0	12	0
John Fairbank Junr	1	10	7
Viga Fisher	0	11	6
Sam Mills	1	11	4
Pet Woodward	3	1	11
Dan Fisher	1	9	4
John Guild	3	9	9:
Jam Thorpe	1	7	3
John Richards	1	13	3
John Masone	1	5	1
Nath Kingsbury	0	19	6
Asel Smith	0	13	4
Sam Euerid	0	16	0

Ralp Freeman	1	7	9
Jonath Fullar	0	19	4
Ezra: Morse	1	12	0
Jonath Fairbank	1	12	8
Will Auery	1	11	9
Joshua Fisher	2	5	3
John Fullar Junr	0	17	6
John Colburn	1	13	3
Nath Gay	1	11	9
John Macintosh	1	17	7
Jams Macanab	1	1	10
Jams Macarwirthy	1	1	10
Nill Macaih	1	6	6
John Dean	0	15	7
Jams Grant	0	16	[ ]
	£	s	d
[54] Jams Vales	1	10	0
Jonath: Metcalfe	0	17	9
Sam Parker	0	10	0
Tho Clap	0	15	0
Isacc Chinery	1	0	0
Tho Boyden	0	1	0
Vid Fisher	2	0	0
Vid Morse	0	2	6
Vid Haiward	1	12	0
John Baker	1	7	3
Sam Barber	1	1	6
Nath Heaton	0	19	6
	£	s	d
Amos Fisher	0	7	6
Jonath Freeman	0	12	6
Vid Westbroke	0	7	6
Eleaz Kingsbury	2	7	1
Ben Mills	1	3	10
Joseph Newbury	0	5	0
Tho Payn Juner	0	15	9
Nath Colburn	1	6	10
Rich Brait	0	10	0
John Houghton	1	0	6
Ephr Ridgeman	0	12	6
	164	17	0
due to the Countery	160	7	6
to Towne	4	9	6

30 9 mo 77 Asembled at night to finish the Contery rate Capt Dan Fisher Edw Richards: Dec John Aldis Henery Wight Ser Dan Pond Tho Battely and Timo Dwight

A rate made for the Countery at threepenc vpon the pound two penc to be payd in mony and a peny vpon the pound in Corne with an adition of on farthing vpon the poud for Towne Charge

				Corn		
mony	£	s	d	£	s	d
Eld John Hunting	0	15	10	0	9	11
Cap[t] Dan Fisher	0	18	2	0	11	4
Pet Woodward	1	4	4	0	13	0
John Gay	1	6	1	0	16	3
Doc Will Auery	0	17	10	0	12	2
Edw Richards	1	5	4	0	14	0
Nath Colburn Seno	1	0	7	0	12	10
En Tho Fullar	1	1	10	0	13	8
Rich Euerid	0	16	9	0	10	5
Nath Whiting	1	0	2	0	12	7
Timo Dwight	1	14	2	0	19	5
Dec John Aldis:	0	18	1	0	11	3
Hen Wight	1	6	11	0	16	9
Liu Nath Starns	0	7	2	0	4	6
Ser Rich Elic	0	16	9	0	10	5
Ser Ralp Day	0	14	8	0	9	2
Ser Dan Pond	0	18	2	0	11	4
John Bacon	1	1	3	0	13	3
Rob Ware	0	19	4	0	12	1
Tho Battely	1	1	1	0	13	1
Rob Fullar	0	40	11	0	6	9
John Fairbank Seno	0	16	5	0	10	2
Tho Payn Seno	0	12	9	0	7	11
John Pigge	0	11	11	0	7	5
		mony			corn	
John Guild Seno	0	8	4	0	5	2
Tho Hering	0	15	1	0	9	4
Tho Metcalfe	0	15	1	0	9	4
Sam Mills	0	9	1	0	5	7
Jonath Fairbank	0	12	3	0	7	7
Jams Thorpe	0	12	4	0	7	8
Nath Bulard	0	9	8	0	5	2
Tho Jurdin	0	7	7	0	4	8
Sam Gay	0	10	8	0	6	8
John Hunting	0	8	9	0	5	5

	John Euerid	0	10	4	0	6	5
	Mica: Metcalf	0	11	5	0	6	11
	John Rice	0	15	4	0	9	7
	Hen Wilson	0	13	1	0	8	1
	Edw Hawes	0	15	6	0	9	8
	Tho Fisher	0	9	8	0	6	1
	Jonn Baker	0	11	6	0	7	2
	Will Auery	0	13	5	0	8	4
	Josh Fisher	0	17	8	0	1	2
	John Baker						
	Dan Fisher	0	9	6	0	5	11
	Nath Chickreg	0	9	6	0	5	11
	Ezra Morse	0	8	0	0	5	0
	Nath Gay	0	11	11	0	7	5
					£	s	d
[55]	John Richards	0	9	7	0	5	11
	Eleaz Kingsbury	0	11	5	0	7	01
	Nath Kingsbury	0	9	7	0	5	11
	Mrs Lyda Fisher	0	0	5	0	0	3
	Hest Fisher	0	5	8	0	3	7:
	Vid Fisher	0	10	9	0	6	8
	Vid Farington	1	7	5	0	16	11
	Vid Haiward	0	8	5	0	5	3
	Vid Morse	0	1	[0]7	0	0	7
	Vid Bulard	0	9	4	0	6	0
	Vid Duing	0	19	6	0	12	2
	Vid Westbroke	0	2	2	0	1	4
	Ralp Freeman	0	9	7	0	5	11
	John Mason	0	7	2	0	4	6
	John Fullar Seno	0	10	8	0	6	8
	John Fairbank Junr	0	9	8	0	6	0
	Asel Smith	0	5	1	0	3	1
	Tho Aldridge	0	16	4	0	10	1
	Sam Euerid	0	6	4	0	3	9
	Jonath Fullar	0	7	5	0	[*3]4	7
	John Fullar Junor	0	7	8	0	4	9
	John Smith	0	10	7	0	6	4
	John Eaton	0	9	1	0	5	7:
	Jams Macanab	0	[*1]7	1	0	4	4
	John Macintosh	0	6	3	0	3	9:
	Jams Grant	0	6	3	0	3	9
	Rob Auery	0	8	4	0	5	[*7]2
	Sam Guild	0	8	10	0	5	6

	£	s	d	£	s	d
Jams Macarwithy	0	7	7	0	4	8
Nill Maciah	0	7	6	0	4	8
Nath Colburn Jun	0	5	11	0	3	8
John: Colburn	0	8	3	0	5	0
John Dean	0	4	2	0	2	6
Johan Metcalf	0	7	7	0	4	8
Isaac Chinery	0	8	0	0	5	0
Elic Wood	0	3	4	0	2	1
Tho Payn Junr	0	5	2	0	3	1
Amos Fisher	0	3	4	0	2	1
Jonath Freeman	0	3	4	0	2	1
Ben Mills	0	7	1	0	4	4
Will Dean	0	3	4	0	2	1
Sam Barber	0	6	11	0	4	3
Jam Vales Seno	0	16	0	0	10	0
Tho Clap	0	9	8	0	6	0
Vig Fisher	0	3	7	0	2	2
Tho Boydon	0	1	0			
John Payn	0	6	6	0	4	1
Eleaz Gay	0	7	7	0	3	11
Josep Newbury	0	3	4	0	2	1
Sam Parker	0	4	5	0	2	8
Nath Heaton	0	6	3	0	3	10
Jams Vales Juner		4	8	0	2	11
John Guild Juer		7	8	0	4	9
Nath Ware	0	4	4	0	2	6
Rob Ware	0	7	1	0	4	4
Nath Ware	0	4	4	0	2	6

Granted liberty to Samuel Mills and Beniamin to fell some timber for building and fencing ground thay be prouident in the improuing of it

The like: liberty is granted vnto Samuel Barber to take timber vpon the: comon vpon: Sam Milles right

Sam Homes of Boston a Bricklayer desire: liberty to com and to liue in this Towne: Ser Dan Pond is desired to informe him that select men do refer the Answer to him till 1 generall meeting:

Granted liberty to John Rice: to take so much timber as he may build him a Barne.

A Bill is giuen to Capt Dan Fisher of three poud to recaiue of the Constable for his dep^{t} Alowanc for this presnt yeare:

A Bill is giuen to Capt Fisher to the Constable to recaiue in mony thirty shilings to pay for his dyat this yere while he was dep^{t}

A bill is giuen to Dec John Aldis to recaiue of the Constabl twenty five shillng for making a new pound

[56] 12 10 77 Asembled after metinge Capt Dan Fisher Ed Richards Hen Wight Pet Aldus Ser: Pond Tho Battely and Timo Dwight

Nath Ware moue to Sojourn with Tho Payns: It is not Alowed

Micall Metcalf did moue for: So much pine timber as is sofecent to make him a Barn floore which is granted

Eleazer Metcalfe: did moue for 3 trees to make yoake for oxen for the Towne people. which is granted:

Hener Wight and Ser Dan Ponde is chosen to new marke the line betwixt the Towne and the Vid Faringtons: land neare about Purgitory playne

John Ware moue for 3 loads of timber for yoakes and other Small ware for the vse of the Towne whis was granted

Jams Mostman make a motion to set vp a shoope: to worke in in the Highway: neer to John Fairbank Senor House whic is grated and Decon John Aldus is desired to Apoint: him to the place And Timber is granted to him to build it with:

24: 10: 77: Asembled Cap[t] Dan Fisher Edwa Richards Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Ser Ponde: Tho Battely and Timothy Dwight

Liberty giuen to Doct Auery to fell timber for 60 roods of twoo rayle fenc of the comon:

Hen Wight Ser Pond and John Euerid being deputed 2 3th 77: to inquire what timber John Fullar Juner had taken of the Towns of the Comon land without order: Thay make thier return as foloweth thay finde: twenty fiue: trees Improued by John Fullar Junor vpon the Towns Comon land as will leagaly: appear:

Liberty giuen to Tho Battely: to take timber: of the Comon: for forty posts and sixty rayles:

Liberty giuen to our reuerand Pastor to take timber of the Comon to repir his fence About the Church lot prouided he doe Improue the old fencing: so fare as it may to that end

A bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher of 1£—12—0 for Charge at the generall meeting and select mens dyet for which he is indebted to the Towne 15[s]

John Day and John Smith make a motion for 6 pines: trees: to make: them: bords and plankes: liberty is giuen to them for 3 or fower hundred of bords and plankes: each of them:

Liberty giuen to Ensi Fullar to fell and take timber to finish his Barn and a tree to make him a bunching bloocke

[57] The surueyers present thier bill the defects are as foloweth

		£	s	d				s	d
Doc Will Auery	2 dayes	0	4	0	Joneth Metcalf	2 dayes	3	6 ×	0
Edw Hawes	2 dayes ×	0	8	0	Nill Maciah	0 day		0	0
Tho Fisher	3 dayes ×	0	12	0	Amos Fisher ×	2 days		4	0
John Baker ×	3 dayes	0	12	0	John Fullar Junr	2 days		× 4	0
Joshua Fisher	2 dayes	0	8	0	Tho Payne	0			
Ezra Morse	1 day	0	2	0	Will Deane	0		4	0
Vid Duinge ×		0	12		Vige Fisher			× 4	0
Rob Auery ×		0	6	0	John Guild			× 4	0
Asel Smith ×		0	2	0	Jams Vales			8	0
Nat Heaton ×		0	4	0	Jams Vales			04	0
John Dean		0	2	0	Josep Newbury		×	4	0
Tho Clape		0	8	0	Will Mecany			6	0
Eleaz Gay		0 ×	4	0					

Jams Macanab make a motion to remoue the Highway: to the North East side of the land granted to him neare vnto Jams Grants House: Dec Aldis and Hen Wight: are desired to vew the plac and Aduise with the neighbours and make report to the select men.

Thomas Payn pleuding Ignorac of the Towne order referinge to Entertayne Nath Wares: and desiring Abatment of his fine the sayd fine is remited to fiue shilings that being payd for the Townes vse vpon demand

liberty: is giuen to John Gay: for to take timber of the Comon to build one House and posts 100 and rayls: 200:

liberty: giuen to Edward Richards: to take timber of the Comon land for 100 posts 400 hundred rayles.

Henery Wight present an Account wheerin he haue payd vpon the Towne account: of the ouerplus: ot the: ten and six rates in 76: 14£—15s—4d

Whither: the Towne will not take Care: to fill up such seats in the meetinge House: as are not full: and to prouid seats for such as doth want:

Whither the Towne will lay out the Comons or any part of them or whither then thay will appoynt a day for: thos that haue only rights in the Comon lands mete to Consider of it

.Whither The Towne will except of: a bricklayer and a taner in to the Towne:

Vpon a motion made by Sam Gay: for to haue: land granted him for a pastur: we whos names are vnder writen: being deputed to vew slat parcell of land neer the south playn by the spring and Daniell Fishers and Nath Chickrings lad do Jude it may be grated vpon a Just Accout with out damag Deco Aldis Tho Battell Tim Dwi[ ]

[58] Ester Fisher being sent for to make Answer for breaking a Towne order in entertaining of William Dean her Answer being not satisfing we leaue it to the generall meeting or to the next select men:

27. 10. 1678. [1]Received for a year & quarter beginning Sept. 15. 1676 & ending Decemb 1677. of ye Deacon & by his Order ye summe of seventy & five pounds in mony or in stead of Mony By me

WILLIAM ADAMS.

1: 11: 77: At a Generall metinge In Answer to that propition whither the Towne will fill vp thos seats: in the Metinge House and to erect such seats as are nesesary: to be made: this is voated in the afermit[ ] and it is left to the select men to be Chosen to do in that Case as thay Judge most mete

further it was left to the reuerand Elder and select men to be Chosen to seat the people in the metinge House when it is prepard thier vnto:

And In Answer to that propotion whither the Towne will lay out the Comon lands or any part of it that belonge to the proprrators of the Towne: it was put to voat and it was agreed vpon that the 14th day of this Instant moth the propiators will meet at the House of Joshua Fisher to Consider the reasons that may be Aledge whither to lay out all or any part of it

Vpon a motion of Nath Whiting and som other persons that the Towne: wold further Consire his griuenc referinge: to the water being stooped away from him by Ezra Morse:

The Towne do Answer in the negitiue that thay will not further ingage in that Case:

In Answer to Nathaniel Homes Bricklayer whither he might come to liue in the Towne it was put to voat and it past in the Afermitiue

It was proposed: to the Towne whither that the Towne will entertayne a Taner prouided one appered that was like to Answer the Towns End this was voated in the Afermitue: and left to the select men: to be chosen to inquire and doe in that Case as thay se meet

Timothy Dwight is Chosen recorder and to be on of the select men for the year insuinge:

Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond Tho Metcalf Tho Battely are chosen Select men for the yere insuinge

The select men are chosen to proportion and make the Reurend Mr Adams salery: for the yeare insung and are to act by the rulls formerly agreed vpon

[59] In Answer to a motion made by Sam Gay referinge to a parcll of land he: desireth that ly neare: the south playne it is agreed to refer it to the meeting the 14th of this Instont refering to laying out the Towne Com land:

Joshua Fisher Sam Euerid and John Smith moue to by or take vp euery on a small parcell of land like wise Thoms Metcalf Jonath Fairbanke John Deane: John Day Timothy Dwight Micall Metcalfe: Ralph Fremon haue also a parcll of land that he desireth that he might inioy vpon a Just account:

[1] In handwriting of Rev. William Adams.

Ed Richard Ser Pond Ser Elic are Chosen a Comity to vew this porclls of land and make a return to the propriators at the meting: 14th this Instant

Tho Payn Seno John Gay Sno Nath Colburn Ser Elic are chosen for Seueyors for the year insuinge

En Tho Fullar Nath Colburn Hene Wight are Chosen to Consider of that Case dependinge betwixt the Town and John Fairbank refering to the Clay ground neere his House and to make satisfaction in that Case as thay Judge: meet and make returne to the select men:

7 11 mo: Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight and Dec Aldus:

Granted liberty to John Baker to fell timber to build him an ende for his barne and a sider presse and a tune: of Chesnute: timber: for which he is to pay to the vse of the Towne 2s in mony

In Answer to the motion of Jams Macanab: to remoue a Highway neere the vper end of peter Woodwards: House lote: Dec Aldis and Hener Wight make thier returne: that the Highway may: be conueniant: to be layd out from the vper end of Peter Woodwards fenc neere Jams Grants House: prouid Jams Macanab lay downe so much land as the former way Contayne and also that he make the way posable and the Higway not to be leesse then fower roods wide· and: that Dec Aldus: and Hen. Wight is chosen to lay out this High way.

Dec John Aldus and Hen Wight are chosen to vew a parcell of meadow: somtimes En Frances Chickrings: now in the hand of Doc Auery: and to looke: in to the records refering to that meadow for the quantity of it and to make return to the select men.

Hen Wight Tho Battely: is Chosen to lay out a parcell of lande: to Nath Colburn Seno adjoynge: to his land at pond playne for a parcell of vpland granted him for his Journy to Pecomticoat and this to be done acording to thier discresion in exchange of the fore sayd vpland

Agreed with Ser Ponde to build a seat at the table in the meeting House: and to finish vp the seats: in the North galery for womin and to make vp seats in the roome of the Stayers: for men and Timothy Dwight to procur bords and nayles to acomplish this worke: and this worke to be doe forth with

[60] Liberty granted to Nath Ware to Sojourn at the House of John Richards so longe as he demean him selfe orderly

Granted: liberty to Joshua Fisher 200 rayles and 80 posts to Cut them of the Towne Comon land

Grant liberty to Do Auery to fell timber of the Towne Com for a fram of a House to cary to Boston prouid he pay to the vse of the Town in mony 2s per tune not excding 7 tune

liberty Granted to Hen Wight to Cut of the Town Comon land 60 posts 100 rayles

liberty Granted to Will Auery: Junr to Cut timber of the Comon land 30 or 40 rods 3 rayles fence: and timber to repair his shoope if need be and also liberty to set his shoope part in the Highway: neer to his House by the the direction of Ser Elic and Timothy Dwight

Gronted liberty: to Decon Aldus: to take timber: for 20 rods of fencinge of the Comon and also to set his fenc downe in to the highway at the grauill pit at the end of the Casey prouded he maintayn two paire of bars: for the Towns: vse to fetch grauill for the Towne vse: by the direction of Nath Colburn Seno and Ser Elic:

9 11 77 Asembled After lecter and Isued out a warrant to the Constable to gather pay of thos that neglected to do thier Higway worke Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Ser Pond Tho Battely Tho Metcalf and Timo Dwight

Payd to Ser Pond toward: the worke to be done in the metinge House two pounds and one shilling 2£—1s—0d by a bill of defects in Highway worke

14 11 In Answer to Tho Metcalf motion refering to a Small parcell of land at the end of his house lot it was put to voat at a metinge refering to laying out the Coms lands of the Towne and it apeared that theiy were willing to sell it

Ed Richards Ser Elic Ser pond are Impoired to sell this land and make return to the select men

In Answer to a motion of Ralph Freeman in that he desire a small parcell of land that adjoynt to his house lot it was put to voat whither the propriators would giue him it and it pased in the afermitiue:

Granted to be sold to Sam Euerid a Small parcell of land betwixt Robert Fullar land at the playn at the [61] East End of the Street and the ridge brooke thet runs doun in to the ceder Swampe to be sold at the diserction of Ed Richards Ser Rich Elic and Ser Dan Ponde: by the Acre:

Granted to be sold to Joshu Fisher a parcell of swampe at the discrsion of Edword Richd Ser Richrd Elic an Don Ponde this lond adjoyne to his owne and Tho Jurdin and the Com swompe

28 of this Instont is appoynted further to be a meetinge: to Consider further: whither the Com londs of this Town shall be layd out or any part of it

Whither only the majour porte of propriety shall dispose of the Comon rights: or any thing belongng thier vntwo

In the Case depending betwixt the Towne and John Fullar referinge to timber that the sayd John haue taken of the Towns he tendering to pay: 30s in mony: whis Tho Metcalf is orderd to recaiue of him is a small Ishue of that which was depending betwixt the Towne and the say John Fullar: and the remarrder of the 25 tres formerly spoken of is due to John Fullar

Granted liberty to James Vales: Seno to take timber of the Towne Commons land: for 300 rayls and posts proportinable:

A bill is giuen to Sam Euerid to recaiue of the Constobles 16s—8 for that he was rated when he was out of the Towne:

28 11 77 The names of the Persons: of such as appered by voate to lay out part of the Com̄ lands in the Towne:

	Cow	Comons:		Cow	Com̄
Capt Dan Fisher	27		Rich Euerid	10	1
Nath Colburn	11	1	Asel Smith	6	
Dô Will Auery	23		Tho Hering	6	
En Tho Fullar	10	1½	Tho Payn Seno	6	
Jam Thorpe	8	1	Josia: Fisher	6	
Eld John Hunting	13		Tho Metcalf	7	
John Fullor	6		Rob Fullar	7	
Tho Aldridg	9		John Guild	5	
Tho Battely	14	3	Ser Ric Elic	8	
Timo Dwight	21	3	Jam Macanab	3	
Pet Woodward	19	1	John Richards	9	
Ele Kingsbury	10		Ezr Morse	1	
Rob Ware	7				
Jose Dudly: Asi	16				
				270	1 Sheep ½

Granted to Tho Fisher a parcll land not excding two Acres on the bound ye south side: of Sam Hutings land neer the South Playn to be laiyd out at the discrsion of Hen Wight Tho B[ ]

[62] Granted and sold to John Euerid at twelu Shileng per Acre Cash 6 Acres of land more or lesse as it lyeth: Abutting vpon John Pigge south East Jams Macanabs towrds: the North: and the Higeway leading to the Raged playn to be layd out by Ser Elic and Tho Metcalf

Granted and sold to Joshua Fisher 7 or 8 more or lesse: Acres:of land: neere south Brooke: and the North side of the Highway leading from the East Street to foule Meadow to be valewed and sold by Ser Rich Elic and Ed Richards: and En Tho Fullar

Granted to Richard Elic on small parcell of land containige 3 or 4 Acres more or lesse as it lyeth: neere the Brooke: and betwixt the south playne and the land Granted and sold to Joshua Fisher: to be layd out by Edw Richard and En Fullar

Granted and sold to Ezra Morse on small parcell of land containg on Acre half more or lesse: as it lyeth adjoyninge to Dorchester line and the longe Ponde that ly: by the Higway that lead from Boston Higway to both Mills: to be Aprized mony by: Nath Colburn and Timo Dwight Care be taken for a soficent Highway:

30 11 77 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Tho Battely Tho Metcalf Ser Pond Timo Dwight

Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond are deputed to lay out two Acres of land to Nath Bulard that was formerly grated

18 12 77 Asembled Capt Fisher Dec Aldus Tho Battely Ser Ponde Tho Metcalfe Timo Dwight

Granted to John Gay Seno so much pine timber to take of the Comon as will make [*2] 1000 of bords:

Granted to Andrew Duin so mnch timber to take of the Comon as will make 200: rayles. and posts proportinell

Grante to Eleaz: Kingsbury: so much timber to take of the Comon as will make 200 rayles and one hund posts

Granted to Sam Gay: so much timber of the Comon land of the Towne as will make: him 200 rayles: and posts prop[ ]

Granted to John Dean on Croch to make a sider presse and such other timber as is nesesary to finish it

[63] Henery Wight and Tho Battely beinge deputed to lay out a parcell of land to Nath Colburn Seno: 7 11 77: make thier return as followeth Acordinge to our trust haue layd out to Nath Colburn Seno eight Acres of wooddy land more or lesse: as it is marked lying in Dedham neer to Pond Playn as it Abutteth vpon the land of the sayd Nath Colburn towrds the North: and vpon the Brooke towrds the North west and vpon the Comon lands on all other parts: And this sayd land with all that parcell of swamppy land beinge about on Acre more or lesse: as it lyeth on the North East side of the High wayes leading to the Corn Mills: both grants aforesayd is full satisfaction for his Journy to Pecomtecoat:

26 12 1677: Asembled to seat the People in the Meting House: Eld John Hunting Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldis Sr Dan Pond Hener Wight Tho Battely Tho Metcalfe Timo Dwight

Granted Capt Fisher timber for 200 rayles and timber for posts proportinable: of the Comon:

Granted to Dec Aldus: timber for to make him grousels for his barns:

Granted to Tho Fisher: timber for 60 rayles 30 posts: timber for on Cart

Granted to Nath Kingsbury: timber for 150 rayle and 30 posts:

24: 4 1678 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Tho Battely Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Ponde:

Granted liberty to Rob Ware Seno so much timber of the Towne Comon as to finish his shoope.

Granted timber to Jonath Fullar of the Comon land to make him fifty postes

Ezra Morse move for so much timber of the Comon land as is soficnt to build him a Saw mill this is granted prouided he take so much of his owne timber as is sutable for the worke

[64] 4 1 1677–8 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Ponde Tho Metecal: Timo Dwight

A motion beinge maide to Roxbury men refering to the minester for this present yere thay ingage to pay to the deacon: as foloweth:

	£	s	d
Jams Draper	0	15	0
Sam Pery	0	05	0
Tho Lion	0	05	0
John Griges	0	5	0

Granted to Tho Jurdin timber for on hund rayles and 30 posts:

Granted to Jonathan Fairbank timber for two hund ra rayls posts proportinabl

Granted to Tho Metcalfe: timber for hund rayls: posts: proportinabl

Granted to Timothy Dwighte: timber for grousels: for my barne and House:

Granted to Nath Chickringe timber for a Cart and timber for sixteen roods of 3 rayles fence

Granted to Mr Sam Man: liberty: to Improue one Acre and halfe of the trayninge: groude: and: with that Considration that he shall Improue that part that was left out at the East Ende: Hen Wight Ser Pond are dep^{t} to lay it out prouid that the: oficers of the traine Company concur with it

Granted to: Ralph: Freman: timber: for on hund rayle: and posts protnb

5 1 78 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Ponde Tho Metcalf Timothy Dwight

Vewers of fences as foloweth for the East part of the Towne Ser Elic Jams Thorpe for the West part of the Towne Nath Bulard Tho Fisher for remoat field: the great playne: Rob Ware senor Micall Metcalf: for the planting field and Schoole ground: En Tho Fullar and Tho Aldridge: for Capt Fishers field: and Natick field and John Days Field: John Gay Senor and Nath Chickringe: for Naponsit fild and purgortory field: Tho Metcalf and John Euerid: for low playn and Roxbury field: Tho Hering Ezra Morse:

Men: to Burne the woods as foloweth: for the East street Samuel Euerid for the midle playne: and Smoth playn Ed Hawes: and Tho Fisher for the Iland Sam Mills: Andrew Duin

Nath Colburn senor is Chosen for this year insuing to seal weights and Mesurs:

Granted to Eld Hunting: 100 rayles: and 30 posts: timber of the Town Comon

Granted timber of the Towne Comon to Jonathan Fullar for 50 posts:

Granted to Joshua Fisher timber of the Towne Comon for 150 rayles and posts proportinable:

Granted to Mrs Fisher timber of the Towne Comon: for 80 rayles: and posts proportinable:

[65] Asembled 9: 2 1678 Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen Wight Ser Pond Tho Battely Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen: to John Fairbanke: Senor to recaiue of the late Constals 1£—10s—0d it is in satisfaction fully with the 3 Acres: and halfe: of land granted to him by the Comity: Impoured by the Towne: as appear by their returne: as foloweth:

We whos names are vnder writen: being deputed and Impoured: by the Towne at the generall Meetinge. 77: to treat with John Fayrbanke: Senor and make him satisfaction for what the Towne is in debt or may: be in debt for futer time: refering to a fenc agaynst the Clay pit groud: that the Towne purchased of Gorge Barsto for thier vse to get Clay thier So longe as thier is Clay: to be foude: in persuenc whearof we haue marked out two percels of lande contayning: About 3 Acres and halfe more: or lesse: as it lyeth adjoyned to the aboue: sayd John Fairbanke and to his Heyers for euer: and 30s to be payd to the Aboue sayd John Fairbank by on bill to the Counstoble: to be payd vpon demand which Aboue named two parcels of land: Contayning about 3 Acres and a halfe: being vpland and Swampe: and the 30 shillings Aboue named is full satisfaction: to the Aboue: sayd John Fairbonke for what is at present deu or may be deu hear after so longe as the Towne shall se Cause to make vse of Clay in the afore sayd place That this is a full Conclution of that Case: and further that the Towne do make an order to Inioyn the inhabitants who haue ocation to digge Clay to secure the pits from damnifing creaturs that may be Hazarded thier by: Tho Fullar Nath Colburn John Fairbanke Hen Wight

We recaiuing warning according to law from the select men of Watertowne: to send men to new Marke the bound line betwixt Watertowne and Dedham: we haue Chosen as foloweth: Rob Ware Seno John Fullar and John Battely:

Choosen to run Medfield bound line betwixt them and we: Ser Wight: Dan Fisher John Pond who are ordred to giue Seasonable notic to Medfield Select men to atend that worke: and to appoynt time and place for that meetinge:

Josep Smith makinge a motion: to haue a Jornimon to be alowed to liue: in the Towne that he might worke with him which is not alowed:

Pet Woodward Juner make a motion: to desire: to haue a man to liue with: him for a time for which he do promise: to giue in bond to secure the Towne: for which he is asignd to Ser Tho Metcalf and Timothy Dwight:

A bill is giuen to Sam Sheers to recaiue of the Constabls two pouds ten shillings 2—10—0 for ringing the Bell and Sweeping of the Meting House:

A bill is giuen to Rob Auery to recaiue 8s of the Constabls for doinge Iron worke aboet the meting House

[66] Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Hen: Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Ponde Tho Metcalfe: and Timo Dwight

Granted to Rob Auery timder to repaire his Barne and he also makinge a motion for Mapel wood to make him Coole it is granted for his present nesesety: prouided he take it one mill and half from the Meting House:

Answer is made to Capt Tho Brattell referinge to a leter we recaiued where in our subscription of what we did ingage to the New Collidge and what we haue paide: was desired

A motion made by John Dean referinge to the Highway leadinge From Joshua Fishers downe to the Key: Vpon Considration of it we Choose Nath Colburn seno and Timothy Dwight to lay it out and make a returne of it to the select men.

29: 3: 78 Asembled after lecter Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Heuer Wight Ser Dan Ponde: Tho Metcalfe: Timo Dwight

Vpon Considration that the great Cart bridge on to the Iland is very defectiue and roton the select me do order that fower dayes worke be done in the High wayes this year according to the former order:

The select men beinge informed that the great Cart bridge on to the Iland is very defectiue: and the serueueyors informe that the worke behind to be done in the Higwayes is not soficent to repaire the sayd bridge: it is ordered and hereby inacted: that euery inhabitant shall worke fower days for this present yeere and all such of the inhabitants: as haue teams both oxen and Horses: are ordered to worke one day more: or as the sorueyors shall appoynt vpon the penalty of six shillings per day for each teeme

A bill is giuen to John Colburn of ten shillings for killinge of a woolfe

29 4 78 Asembled Capt Don Fisher Dec John Aldis: Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Don Ponde Tho Metcalf

The select men being Informed by the serueyers that the Cart Bridge ouer Charles Riuer is faln doune: for which Damage is like to Com: to Towne and Countery: if not spedily repaird do thierfor order that some on person be Chosen and sent to the Honered Gouerner: Tresuere and Asistanc for thier aduice and order that a speedy way may be taken for the repairing of the sayd Bridge: Capt Fisher and Dec Aldis are Chosen to act in the premises aboue named according to thier best discresion: The Comity repairing to the County Court July 78 who did Confirme the same: and ordered the County treaserer: to pay: eleuen pouds: twelue shillings for to satisfy the: worke men:

[67] 29 4 1678 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Tho Battely Thomas Metcalf Timothy Dwight

Agreed to giue notise to the Constables according to a warrant recaiud from the Gouerner baringe Date the 24 4 for the speedy repairng of the great Cart Bridge: vn to the Iland to speecyfie the names: of the men that the select men haue agreed vpon to be Impressed according to the said warrant:

It is further order that Ser Pond and any one more of the select men are Impoured to Excecuted the warant mentioned Aboue for the managamat of that work

17 5 1678 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec Jo Aldus Ser Hen Wight Tho Battel Timo Dwight

The Account of the Bridge: beinge this day made vp the some is as foloweth: in labour eight pounds and in Cartinge twoo pounds and. in Charges one pounde all mount in mony to 11£ 12s 0d or in Countery pay 17–0–0

This Count hauing longe sinc according to law agreed this Bridge be built and mayntayed at the Country Charge: Capt Dan: and Dec John Aldus are desired to repaire to the next County Court: to desire an order to the Tresurer to satisfy: the Charge of the sayd Bridge:

5: 6: En Tho Fullar is choosen a Comisinor to Joyne with the select men to take a list of the ratable Estat according to law:

24: 6 Asembled to take: a list of the persos and ratable Estat according to law Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Pond Timo Dwight En Tho Fullar Comisoner

The serueyers presont thier bill the defects are as foloweth

	£	s	d				
Sam Euerid				Josep Newbury	0	4	0
Liut Nath Starns	0	2	0		£	s	d
Jonath Freman	0	3	0	Nath Kingsbury day	0	4	0
Pet Woodward Seno	0	3	0	Jams Thorpe	0	2	0
Pet Woodwrd	0	6	0	Nath Heaton	0	5	0
Jam Vales	0	2	0	[*Rest due to the Towne from John			
Jonath Fullar	0	2	0	Bacon and John Euerid			
Jonath Metcalf	0	2	0		£	s	d
Doc Will Auery	0	3	0	former Constobles	2	5	7
Ezra Morse	0	4	0	When thes Billes be pay]			
John Aldus	0	0	0				

[68] Ezra Morse: make a motion: to haue liberty to flud a small parcll of land refering to a Saw Mill vpon the broke called Ed Hawes in the way leading to Foule Meadow:

Henery Wight and John Baccon is choosen to vew the plac and make return to the select men:

9: 25: 78 A countery rate made at 3d per poude on third in mony and 2 thirds in Countery payment and on farthinge added: for the Schoole: and Towne Charges which also is to be pay as the Countery rate:

	£	s	d					
				Do Will Auery	1	2	3	
Eld John Huntinge	0	15	4	Edw Richards	1	15	6	
Capt Dan Fisher	1	5	0	Nath Colburn Seno	1	17	2	
Pet Woodward	2	3	3	1s En Tho Fullar	1	16	11	
John Gay	1	9	7	Richard Euerid	1	2	2	2

Nath Whiting	1	16	1	2	Nath Kingsbury	0	14	1	2
Timo Dwight	2	13	8	4	Vigilen Fisher	0	7	7	
Dec John Aldus	1	17	4		Hest Fisher	0	7	5	
Hen Wight	2	9	10		Joan Fisher	0	18	5	2
Liut Nath Starns	0	14	3	4	Vid Farington	0	2	2	2
Ser Rich Elic	1	3	0		Vid Haiward	0	14	3	
Ser Dan Pond	1	7	4	4	Vid Morse	0	0	9	
John Bacon	1	14	1		Vid Bulard	0	15	5	2
Rob Ware Seno	1	14	11	2	Vid Duinge	1	2	1	
Tho Battely	1	7	3		Vid Westbroke	0	4	0	
Rob Fullar	1	0	2		Rolp Freman	0	15	2	2
John Fairbank Seno	1	12	5		John Mason	0	13	0	
Tho Payn Seno	0	18	3		John Fullar Seno	1	2	6	
John Pigge	1	0	1		John Fairbank J	0	14	4	
John Guild Seno	0	10	1		Asel Smith	0	8	3	
Tho Hering	1	7	1	2	John Macintosh	0	11	6	
Tho Metcalfe	1	2	3	4	Tho Aldridg	1	6	9	
Sam Milles	0	15	1		Sam Euerid	0	10	0	
Jona Fairbanke	0	19	9	4	Jona Fullar	0	13	4	
Jams Thorpe	1	0	10	2	John Fullar Jun	0	9	7	
Nath Bulard	0	16	8		John Smith	0	19	10	
Tho Jurdan	0	14	7		John Eaton	0	15	8	2
Sam Gay	0	17	7	4	John Day	0	14	7	
John Huntinge	0	14	7	2	Jam Macanob	0	10	8	
John Euerid	0	19	9		Jams Grant	0	9	5	2
Mica Metcalf	0	19	1		Rob Auery	0	19	6	
John Rice	1	1	1		Sam Guild	0	14	10	
Hen Wilson	1	0	0		Vid Day	0	1	1	
Ed Hawes	1	1	11		Jams Macarwithy		12	8	2
Tho Fisher	0	16	9		Ralp Day	0	9	1	
John Baker	0	17	0	1	Nill Maciah	0	10	0	
Will Auery	0	18	8		Nath Colburn	0	16	9	
Joshua Fisher	1	6	1		John Colburn	0	15	7	
Dan Fisher	0	[*01]7	× 3	× 0	John Dean	0	8	8	2
	£	s	d	s	Jona Metcalf	0	12	5	
Dan Fisher	0	17	8	2	Isaac Chiner	0	16	3	
Nath Chickringe	0	15	8		Elic Wood	0	5	5	
Ezra Morse	0	18	11	2	Tho Payne	0	7	0	2
Nath Gay	1	4	6		Amos Fisher	0	5	6	
John Richards	0	18	11	4	John Farington	01	12	9	
Eleaz Kingsbury	1	0	7		Ben Milles	0	12	6	

[69] 25 9 78 Asembled Cap[t] Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight

Granted to Henery Wight so much timber of the Towne Comon land as will make a dwelling House for his Son Joseph Wight and to take also 2 or 3 loads of pine timber for bord for the Sayd House: and he is to get the timber out of a Swamp neer Neticke

Granted to Dan Pond so much pine timber of the Comon land of the Towne as to make thousand of bord for his House

Jams Macanab make a motione to Exchange a parcel of land: that he formerly tooke vp vpon North side of the Brooke neere the planting field and vpon the Highway that lead to foule Meadow: Ser Hen Wight and Tho Metcalf is desired to vew that parcel of land that he doth now desire and make returne to the select men Thes men Aboue writen Ser Wight Ser Metcalfe: make thier returne and thier is fiue Acres: granted to Jams Macanab in Exchange of seauen : Acres: twelue rods and half formerly granted him lying neere the planting field and this fiue Acres: to be layd out neere the south broke at the discresion of Serg^{t} Elic Serg^{t} Metcalf

Samuel Aldridge: makinge a motion for timber for a tan House and tan Fats: this motion beinge Considred thier is on load granted him to take for his present vse of the Comon and he is refered for the remaind of it to the generall meetinge next:

27 10 78 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus: Ser Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond Tho Battely Ser Tho Metcalf Timothy Dwight

Granted to John Dean timber of the Comon for twelue roods of fower rayle fence

Granted to Jonathan Fairbanke one tree: of the Comon for Clabords

A bill is giuen to Samuel Sheers: of 2£ 10^{s} 0^{d} for his seruic in the meeting House His time Endinge in the 17th of Aprill 79.

Granted to Robrt Auery Juner timber for 20 roods of 3 rayl fence of the Towne Comon

A bill is giuen to Ben Milles of ten shilings to recaue of Jo Bacon John Euerid for killing a wolfe

A Bill is giuen to Jonathan Fairbanke to recaiue 11^{s} 4^{d} of John Baker former Constable:

A warrant is giuen to Jonath Fullar to recaiue [16^{s}] 1£-5^{s}-0 for which the Townes proportion is 16^{s}-8 for seuerall persos siting disorderiy in the meeting House

	£	s	d				
				Jams Vales	0	6	2
Will Dean	0	6	3	John Guild Juner	0	12	1
Sam Barber	0	11	1	Nath Farington	0	10	6
Sam Parker	0	6	3	Jona Freman	0	7	1
Jams Vales Seno	1	2	10		£	s	d
Tho Clape	0	17	8	Abia Wheler	0	1	1
Joseph Newbury	0	5	5	Nath Richards	0	8	8
Nath Heaton	0	10	8	John Battely	0	7	10

Jona Gay	0	7	4	Sam Sheers	0	0	0 2
John Gay	0	7	10	John Macintosh	0 x	0 x	0
Sam Aldridg	0	6	2 6		93	11	8
Josep Kingsbry	0	0	0 4				
John Ware	0	0	0 2				

[70] 15 10 77 The proportion: of the reuerand Mr William Adams Salery: begining the 15th 10th mo 77 and Ending the 15 10th 78 is as foloweth:

	£	s	d				
Capt Dan Fisher	1	0	6	Jonath: Fairbanke	0	13	9
Pet Woodward	1	10	0	Jams: Thorpe	0	13	10
John Gay	1	11	3	Nath Bulard	0	10	10
Doc Will Auery	2	10	0	Tho Jurdin	0	6	6
Edw Richards	1	11	6	Sam Gay	0	12	0
Nath Colburn	1	5	0	John Hunting	0	10	0
En Tho Fullar	1	4	6	John Euerid	0	11	7
Rich Euerid	0	9	0	Mical Metcalf	0	12	9
Nath Whitinge	1	2	8	John Rice	0	13	10
Timo Dwight	2	12	0	Hen Wilson	0	14	0
Dec John Aldus	1	0	0	Edw Hawes	0	17	05
Hen Wight	1	10	0	Tho Fisher	0	10	10
Liut Nath Starn	0	8	0	John Baker	0	13	0
Ser Ric Elic	0	16	6	Will Auery	0	17	6
Ser Dan Ponde	1	0	6	Joshua Fisher	1	0	0
John Bacon	1	4	0	Dan Fisher	0	10	8
Rob Ware	1	1	9	Nath Chickringe	0	9	8
Tho Battely	1	3	8	Ezra Morse	0	11	0
Rob Fullar	0	12	3	Nath Gay	0	13	6
John Fairbanks	0	18	5	John Farington	1	10	10
Tho Payn Seno	0	14	4	John Richards	0	12	9
John Pigge	0	16	0	Eleaz Kingsbury	0	12	10
John Guild Sen	0	9	4	Nath Kingsbury	0	10	9
Tho Heringe	0	17	0	Viglanc Fisher	0	4	0
Tho Metcalf	1	0	0	Hester Fisher	0	6	4
Sam Milles	0	10	0	Joan Fisher	0	10	0

2 10 1678 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely Ser Dan Pond Tho Metcalfe and Timo Dwight

Granted to Nathaniel Richards So much pine timber of the Towne Comon as to make: 500 bords

Granted to Tho Battely So much pine timber of the Towne Comon as to make him 500 of boards:

A bill is giuen to Israll Euerid of ten shilings for killinge of on woolfe 0 10^s 0

Alowed the Counstable for Richand Benit 10s

Reconed with the Constabls John Bacon John Euerid and due to the Towne as apereth in mony 3£—0s—9d and in Contry payment 3£—5s—7d 6£—[7]6s—[7]4d

A Bill is giuen to Capt Fisher to recaiue of the Counstabls for his seruinge of the Two as a dept 3£—0s—0d and more for to be payd for his dyet in mony 1—6—0.

Ser Dan Pond doth excpt of two years rent of the Towns land at Naponsit Mill: that is 5s for making the stockes

Reconed with Ser Pond and due to him for his worke in the meeting House and runing the line besides: twenty six shilings that he recaiud of Ser Tho Metcalf the Just sume of 1£—10s—6d

A bill is giuen to Ser Ponde to recaiue of the Constables 1—10—6

A bill is giuen to Ser Metcalfe to recaiue of the Constable 1—6—0

[71] A bill is giuen to Ser Hen Wight to recaiue of the Constable 0£—6s—6d

Whear as thier haue been Complaynt by seuerall: that thier are many persons: in this Towne: that in time of publique: worship: on the Sabath dayes: and other times: do not atend in the seats: in the meeting House: whear the Comity Chosen by the Towne haue ordered them but intrude. in to seats appoynted to other persos thier by Causeing disorder: to theer greife: and ofence of many: and Ill example to others: For preuention wheir of: The select men doe order: that from the 12th of this Instent all persons. not Atending: or submiting: to the Conclution of the late Comity: or any other Comity: that shall at any time be Chosen at a generall Towne Meeting for the orderinge persons to thier seats: in the meeting House: and thay giuing notice: to each person Concarned: the seat appoynted to them All persons so ordered: are required to atend: the worshipe of god in the seats designed to them: and any person what so euer that do or shall intrude into any seats appoynted to other persons:) except for the accomidating of Strangers) with out liberty first obtayned from the Elder and select men for the time being any person: so offendge shall pay: a fine of fiue shillings for each offenc from time to time. on third part to the informer: the other two thirds to the vse of the Towne to be leuied by the Constable by warant from: the select men:

Dedham 5th 10 68 A bill is giuen to En Tho Full to recaiue of John Bacon and John Euerid late Constabls in mony thrie pouds and 9d 3£—0s—9d

A bill is giuen to Josha Fisher to recaiue: of the Constobles 2£—3s—8d

	£	s	d				
				Vid Duin	1	0	0
Vid Haiward	0	9	6	Vid Westbroke	0	2	5
Vid Morse	0	2	0	Rolp Freeman	0	8	9
Vid Bulard	0	8	6	John Mason	0	8	0

John Fullar Seno	0	12	0	Isaac Chinery	0	5	0
John Fairbank	0	10	0	Elic Wood	0	5	0
Asel Smith	0	5	8	Tho Payn Juner	0	5	9
Tho Aldridge	0	18	4	Amos Fisher	0	5	0
Sam Euerid	0	7	0	Jonath Freeman	0	5	0
Jona Fullar	0	8	4	Ben Milles	0	7	0
John Fullar Juer	0	8	7	Will Dean	0	5	0
John Smith	0	12	0	Jams: Vales Seno	0	8	0
John Eaton	0	8	0	Tho Clape	0	4	0
Jams Macanab	0	8	0	John Payn	0	7	0
John Macintosh	0	7	0	Eleaz Gay	0	8	6
Jams Grant	0	5	0	Josep Newbury	0	5	0
Rob Auery	0	9	4	Sam Barber	0	5	9
Sam: Guild	0	10	0	Nath Heaton	0	7	0
Jams Macarwithy	0	8	6	Jammes Vales Juer	0	6	0
Nill Maciah	0	8	5	John Day and Ralph	0	14	6
Nath Colburn	0	6	7	John Guild Juner	0	8	7°
John Colburn	0	9	3	Nath Ware	0	5	6
John Dean	0	4	8	Rob Ware	0	7	0
Jonath Metcalf	0	6	6				

payd to a Neteck Endin for killing 1 wolf for woolfe ten Shilings 10^{s}

Rest deue to the Towne from John Bacon and John Euerid late Constabls 1£—5^{s}—7^{d} When thay haue payd thes Billes Chargd vpon as doth apper by the Booke: More Charged the presnt Constabls by seuerall Billes: 11—12—0

due to Mr Sam Man for keeping the Schoole about fower monthes

[72] 1 11 mo 1678 A generall Meeting of the Towne:

Timothy Dwight is Choosen Towne recorder and to be on of the Select men for the year insuing Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Pond Ser Richard Elic and John Bacon are also choosen to be select men for the yeare insuinge:

Serueyers Choosen as foloweth En Tho Fullar for the Iland Tho Fisher for the Smoth playne Nath Colburn for midle playne John Fairbank Seno for the East street:

It is agreed and voated that the proportinge of the reuerand Mr Adams Salery is left to the select men and to do it by the former rulles for this year insuinge:

The select men are desired: to Call for an acccout to the seuerall Comity that sold land and gather in the mony dew from the seuerall inhabitanc betwixt this time and the meting that is to be the second week in march that so each inhabitant that is a propriator in the Cow Comons: rights may haue thier Just proputon of that mony

Dec John Aldus Nath Colburn are Choosen a comity to vew a parcll of land desired by John Dean the land do ly neere Samuel Huntings field and Swampe and to make returne to the propriators at the meetinge: the 2d week in march:

John Bacon Seno Tho Metcalfe is Chosen a Comity to vew a porsel of land for John Pigge and for Jams Macarory: and to make returne to the propriators: of this Town the 10th day of march next

Tho Aldridge and John Fullar are desired to vew a small parcell of land that John Rise desireth and make returne to the propriators at the meetinge the 10th of march

Decon John Aldus Nath Colburn: are Choosen to vew a Small porcll of land that Ser Elic desireth thes men are desired to make return to the propriators at the meetinge the 10 of march: next:

En Tho Fullar Ser Ric Elic Ser Dan Ponde are Choosen a Comity: to Consider and vew by what means water may be procured to the milles and make return to the Towne the 10th of march next

6: 11: 78: Asembled to make the reuerand Mr William Adams Salery Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus: Ser Ric Elic Ser Dan Pond John Bacon Tho Metcalfe: Timothy Dwight

The proportion of Mr William Adams begininge 15th 10 moth 78 and the yeare Ending 15th 10 mo 79 is as foloweth:

	£	s	d		£	s	d
				John Fairbank Seno	0	18	7
Capt Dan Fisher	0	18	6	Tho Payn Seno .	0	11	10
Pet Woodward	1	10	0	John Pigge	0	16	0
John Gay	1	0	0		£	s	d
Mr Will Auery	2	10	0	[78] John Guild Seno	0	9	0
Edw Richards	1	4	0	Tho Hering	1	0	8
Nath Colburn Junr	1	4	0	Ser Tho Metcalf	1	0	0
En Tho Fullar	1	5	0	Sam Milles	0	9	3
Rich Euerid	0	12	5	Jona: Fairbank	0	13	4
Nath Whiting	01	1	11	Jam Thorpe	0	12	11
Timo Dwight	2	10	0	Nath Bulard	0	13	6
Dec John Aldus	1	4	0	Tho Jurdin	0	7	0
	£	s	d	Sam Gay	0	10	11
Henery Wight	1	10	0	John Hunting	0	10	0
Liu Nath Starnes	0	10	0	John Euerid	0	13	0
Ser Ric Elic	0	14	2	Mica Metcalf	0	11	9
Ser Dan Pond	0	18	0	John Rice	0	13	0
John Bacon	1	[4]3	0	Hen Wilson:	0	10	0
Rob Ware Seno	1	3	0	Edw Hawes	0	12	0
Tho Battely	0	18	0	Tho Fisher	0	11	7
Rob Fullar	0	12	11	John Baker	0	11[6]	0

Will Auery:	0	16	6
John Richards	0	14	0
Joshua Fisher	0	16	8
Dan Fisher	0	13	0
Nath Chickringe	0	9	8
Ezra Morse:	0	11	7
Nath Gay.	0	15	1
John Farington	0	16	10
Eleaz Kingsbury	0	16	0
Nath Kingsbury	0	12	0
Vigilanc: Fisher	0	5	0
Hester Fisher	0	6	0
Joan Fisher	0	10	0
Vid Farington	0	3	0
Vid Haiward:	0	8	9
Vid Morse:	0	2	0
Vid Bulard	0	8	0
Vid Duin	0	13	6
Vid Westbrooke	0	2	8
Rolp Freeman	0	9	5
John Mason	0	8	0
John Fullar	0	[14]13	0
John Fairbank Jun	0	8	0
Asel Smith:	0	5	0
Tho: Aldridge:	0	18	0
Sam: Euerid:	0	8	0
Jona: Fullar	0	12	0
John Smith	0	12	3
	£	s	d
John Eaton	0	8	0
Jam Macanab:	0	7	8
John Macintosh:	0	6	7
Jams Grant	0	4	0
Rob Auery	0	12	0
Sam Guild:	0	9	0
Jams Macarwithy:	0	8	0
Ele Maciah:	0	6	5
Nath Colburn: Jur	0	10	0
John Colburn	0	9	8
John Dean	0	5	4
Jona Metcalf	0	7	8
Isaac Chinery.	0	4	0
Tho Payn Junor	0	7	8
Amos Fisher	0	6	0
Jonath Freeman	0	4	6
Ben Milles	0	7	9
Will Dean	0	3	10
Jams Vales: Seno	0	4	0
Tho Clape:	0	3	0
John Payn	0	3	0
Eleaz Gay:	0	3	0
Josep Newbury	0	4	0
Sam Barber	0	6	11
Nath Heaton:	0	6	7
Jams Vales Juner	0	1	6
John Day	0	8	5
Ralph Day.	0	7	8
John Guild Junr	0	7	6
Nath Wares:	0	4	0
Rob Ware:	0	3	0
John Ware	0	4	6
Nath Farington	0	8	0
Nath Richards	0	8	0
John Gay Juner	0	5	0
Jonath Gay	0	4	6
John Battely	0	4	6
Abra: Wheler	0	5	0
Dan Hawes	0	3	0
	61	5	2

Granted to Nath Colburn Senor timber of the Town Comon to make him 100 rayles and 100 postes :

[74] Granted to John Baker liberty to take a Chesnut tree: for a table leafe for his own use:

Reseaiued: of: John Baker in mony 1s for on Tune of Chesnut timber and this shilinge is payd to Ser Tho Metcalf for nayles he lent for altring the seats in the meeting House:

John Macintosh make a motion to haue another seat: appoynted him in the meetinge House and doth acknoledg that he hath bene disorderly in the meting House formerly: in his siting thear

John Gay Hath granted him liberty to take timber of the Towne Comon for 200 rayles and posts proportinable for to fenc His land neer Naticke and on Hundred of rayle at Hoome and posts proportinable.

Granted: to the propriators of Neposit field 400 or 500 rayles and posts proportinable

20 11 78 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic John Bacon Ser Dan Ponde Timo Dwight

The Comity Choosen: 29: 2: 67 beinge Liu Joshua Fisher Ser Will Auery: and Nath Colburne:

Bringe in thier returne of a parcel ot land thay: layd out to Thomas Heringe:

Tho Heringe make a motion for a parcel of land neer the purhas meaddow for satisfaction of the High way layd out to the mill throug his lot

Dec John Aldus Ser Rich Elic is Choosen: to vew the land desired by the sayd Tho Hering: and make returne to the select men:

At a generall meeting 1 Jenewary accordinge to an order: we haue taken the accouts of the seuerale Comityes and others: and we present what we finde as foloweth

		£	s	d
payd to Capt Fisher in mony				
	Ezra Morse and Nath Chickringe	6	0	0
	Tho Aldridge	01	15	0
deu	Ralph Freman	0	8	0
	Tho Fisher	0	19	0
	Timo Dwight	2	0	3:

And this two pouds 3d of Timothy Dwight do Aquite him from the six poude 2s 3d and the three shilings that he is Charged by with what he hath payd to: the Towne for glasse mending in the meeting House and nayls and bonds and mony for amunition

	£	s	d				
Joshuo Fisher	1	8	6	deu from Thomas Metcalfe	2	16	0
deu John Euerid	3	12	0	deu from Dan Ponde	1	10	0
deu from Samuel Euerid	4	05	0	Ezra Morse	3	1	8

Granted to Nath Chickringe Dan Fisher timber for seauenty rods of fower rayles fenc of the Comon to fenc thier land neer Netick:

Granted to Joshua Fisher timber of the Towne Comon for 150 rayles and posts proportnable:

Thes seuerall sumes aboue writen we asigne to be payd to Dec Aldus at or before the last of 12th month nexte

[75] Vewers of fences as foloweth for the East streete: John Fairbanke: Seno Tho Metcalf For the west part of the Towne from the Ponde to the key: Ser Hen Wight Tho Battely For the great Playn Nath Bulard John Fullar: For the Capt Fields: and thos of the townds Neticke: Both sides of the riuer Tho Fisher: Nath Chickringe: For South Playne South Hill and Purgatory: Nath Colburn Seno Sam Gay: For Ponsit and Pond Playne: John Euerid and John Pigge: For low Playn: Peter Woodward: Sam Euerid and for thos fields thier about For Roxbury Playn Nath: Colburn: Tho Heringe:

Men to Burn the woods as foloweth for the East Street Samuel Euerid: For the Midle Playn and Smoth Playn Ed Hawes Nath Heaton: For the Iland Samuel Mills: Seno:

Nath Colbur Senor is Choosen sealer for the year insuinge

Asembled 15 12 78 Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic John Bacon Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Ponde Timothy Dwight

Granted to Nath Chickringe timber of the Towne Comon for fifty rayles and posts proportinable

Granted to Mr Will Adams Pastor: Capt Dan Fisher and to Nath Chickringe Timber of the Towne Comon to make twenty roods of three rayle fencinge to incloose the Church meaddow

Grant to Asel Smith timber of the Towne Comon to make 300 rayles and 100 posts

Granted to Jams Macanab timber of the Towne Comon for hundred postes and forty rayles:

Granted to Nath Heaton timber of the Towne Comon for 30 posts:

Granted to Capt Fisher and to Henery Wight to each of them on load of pine timber of the Towne Comon:

Granted to John Battely timber of the Towne comon for 200 rayles and postes proportinable:

Granted to John Smith timber of the Towne Comon: for 200 rayles and posts porportinabl

Granted to Ed Hawes on timber tree of the Towne Comon for Clabords

Granted to Pet Woodward Juner: timber of the Town Comon for 3 or fower hundred: rayles: and posts proportinable:

Liberty Granted: to Ser Daniell Ponde: to Improue: this next Sumer one Aker and on Holfe, of the Trayning land: for which: he is to pay to the vse of the Towne 30^{s} is Corne marchantabl and prise Curent and to lay down this land playne

A bill is giuen to Ed Hawes of 15^{s} to recaiue of John Bacon late Constable for wachinge ouer the youth in the meetinge House the 3 last years

Granted liberty to Eleazer Kingsbury to take timber to grousel a barne: that was Some times: Samuel Judsone

Granted to Decon John Aldus: timber of the Towne Comē for 100 rayles and postes proportinable:

Thes seuerall sumes on the other side: is payd to Decon Aldus accordinge to: the Asignement Excpting Ezra Morse Nath Chickring Tho Aldridge Ralp Freman: and thay are payd to the Towne according as is after Expressed:

[76] Nathanel Bullard do informe Agaynst Asel Smith who did contrary to order set in the fore seat in the South Galery in the Meting House one 26 11th mo 78 both parts of the day: and that Will Dean doth gineraly intrud: in to that fore seat of the South Galery and he doth informe that En Tho Fullar that and Dwight Johana Gay: Hanah Whitinge: Joan Fisher which he apryhend was Ocasinaly: and not in Contempt

5 1 78-9 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic John Bacon Ser Dan Ponde Ser Metcalf Timothy Dwight

Granted to John Pigge timber for 200 rayles of the Comon and posts proportinable

Recaiuing a leter from Roxbury select men referinge to the runing: the line betwixt the Townes we haue Choosen Dec John Aldus Ser Richard Elic Tho Heringe to meet with them according to law:

Granted to John Bacon: liberty to take twoo pine trees of the Towne Comon for his vse:

Granted to And Duin timber of the Comon for 150 rayles 30 posts

Granted to Jonath Auery 150 rayles 60 poste this timber to be taken of the Comon land:

Granted to Dan Fisher Juner timber of the Comon for 100 rayles and fifty posts:

Granted to Richard Euerid timber of the Towne Comon for 200 rayles and posts proportinable

10 1 mo 78-9 At a generall Meetinge the select men wear Choosen a comity to Joyne withe the reuerend Elder Huntinge to Seat persons in the meeting House: and to do what is nessesary thier vnto

For as much as some difranc did Appear betwixt the Towne: and Timothy Dwight refering to a parcell of mony payd to the sayd Timothy by Tho Aldridg: and Ezra Morse Peter Woodword senor and Liut Nathaniel Starns: were mutualy Choosen to hear and detarmin the sayd Case dependinge accordinge: to law and equity: with in 2 monthes and that thes twoo men Chosen haue power to Choose a 3d man if thay do not agre: and Jams Thorpe to manage the Case in the behalf of the Town.

[77] Granted to Jams Macarory to the quantity of 2 or 3 Acres o lande to be set out by John Bacon and Ser Tho Metcolf neere ajoyning to his lot.

Granted to John Pigge: 4 Acres and half of shrufey land neer or Ajoyning to his House lot for which he haue payd to the Towne mony twenty seuen shilings to be set out by Tho Metcalf and John Bacon:

Granted to John Rice About halfe on Acre of land Adjoynng to his Meaddow formerly granted and to be set out by Tho Aldridge and John Fullar:

1: 11: 78 Joshua Fisher Haue formerly moued to taken: vp: a parcell of land neere the south Hill which motion is refered: to the next generall meetinge this is granted prouided 9£ of mony be payd within one yeare: after day of the date hereof

Recaiued mony of Jams Thorpe: for a small parcell of swampe whis do ly neer his House loat which is full satisfaction seauen shillinge: in lew of land that wes due to the Towne in Medfield deuident by Agreement

Granted to Ser Ricchard Elic 3 or 4 Acres of land: more or lesse: as it Adjoyns. to the East side of a parcell of land formerly granted to him betwixt Sout playne and South Hill

Agreed by the Towne that a deuident shall be layd out that thoose men of our inhabitant may satisfy: for thos lands that formerly thay haue taken vp: vpon a deuident Account and that the rest of the propriators may haue thier proportion Answeroble: and the propriators that haue taken vp land all ready shalle haue thier proportion of mony now to be deuided being twenty one poud seauenteen shilings two penc in hand and it is agreed that one shilling per comon shall be payd to each propriator and for sheep Comons proportinable. And what is wanting of the mony in hand to Answer Euery man his Just proportion: shall be left to the select men to satisfy them as thay shall appear

Granted to Ben Milles: a small parsell of land Contayning About on Acre and half mor or lesse: which is flowed by his mill and: Also the place that the mill stand vpon:

The order bearing date 2d tenth moth 78 refering to persons intruding in to seats in the Meeting House Contrary to order twoo shilings abated: out of that fine: and nothing Alowed to the Informer any order to the Contrary notwithstanding

[78] An account of the mony payd out to the propriators as foloweth

Mr John Alns			
Eld John Hunting and Twaits Strccled	0	13	0
Dec Chickring Comons			
Dec John Aldus	0	10	[6]8
Micall Metcalf	0	7	4
John Kingsbury	0	12	2
Tho Battely:	0	14	0
Vid Haiward and Tho Aldridg	0	9	0
John and Timothy Dwight	1	1	3
Church loot	0		
William Robrtant and Jonathan Auery	1	4	0
John Richards	0	9	0
Liuu Joshua Fishr	0	16	2
Jonath Fairbank Seno	0	13	4
Pet Woodward	0	19	2
Eleaz and Nath Kingsbry	0	6	4
Nath Bulard	0	5	8
Richard Euerid	0	10	2
Nath Colburn	0	11	2
John Mason	0	7	6
John Gay	0	11	4

					£	s	d
Sam Gay	0	3	0				
John Eaton	0	8	0	John Guild	0	5	2
Cap Dan Fisher	0	13	0	An Duin	0	5	0
Edwr Richards	0	12	4	Sam Milles	0	5	0
Asel Smith	0	6	0	Antho Hubut	0		
John Smith	0	9	2	Tho Fisher	0	2	3
Nath Whiting	0	9	0	Ralph Day	0	5	4
Sam Judson	0	11	0	Hen Wilson	0	6	6
Tho Heringe	0	6	0	John Bacon	0	7	6
Jam Thorpe	0	8	4	Josep Elic	0	4	0
John Farington	0	14	2	Edw Hawes	0	6	2
En Tho Fullar	0	9	2	Rich Elec			
Tho Payn Seno	0	6	0	and Ro Onion	0	8	0
Rob Ware	0	7	0	John Rice	0	[4]2	2
Rob Fullar	0	7	0	Don Ponde:	0	4	4
Ant Fisher Juer	0	6	4	Hen Wight	0	6	0
Tho Metcalf	0	7	0	Nath Gay	0	3	0
Nath Fisher	0	6	0	Dan Aline	0	9	0
Tho Jurdin	0	3	6				

Line betwixt Roxbury and Dedham Recaiuinge a order from Roxbury select men to rune the line betwixt thier Towne and ours: we Choos Dec Aldus Ser Elic and Tho Heringe to meet with them thier being not a Concurant betwixt them A comitee was Chosen as foloweth to treat with select men Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus: Ser Elic Timo Dwight

The Agreement for the setlement of the line betwixt Roxbury and Dedham is as foloweth. 15th 2 mo 79 The select men of the Towne of Roxbury and a Comity: of and from the select men of the Towne of Dedham being met together to Confear about a difranc betwixt the two Townes refering to the line neere to the farme land it is muttualy Agreed: by both partys as foloweth: first that the line shall rune straight forward from the farme fence: to a walnutter standing in Cambridg line 2 ly that the tryangle pice of land: that ly on the west side of this line betwin the farme land and Cambridg line shall for euer remain two and be accouted i land of Roxbury: but with this Condition that no person shall build or set downe vpon this land but such Hom the select men that shall be from time to time in Course in the Towne of Dedham shall Aprou thoug thier is libty: for the Improuemt of it any other wise as they shall se Cause [*and] The remainder of this agremt is is on the botom of the other page:

[79] 27 1 mo 79 Asembled to seat persons in the meeting House Eld John Hunting Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Rich Elic Ser Dan Ponde Ser Tho Metcalf John Bacon Timothy Dwight

Jams Thorpe cominge to the select men referinge to the fower pound and fiften shilings in Controversey betwixt the Towne and Timothy Dwight

and signifyed that the sayd Dwight would pay tnree pounds: of that debt the select men se reason to Excpt of that for satisfaction of the whoole debt and do Heer by discharge the sayd Jams Thorpe from any furter trouble in managing: the Case: agay Timothy: Dwight:

Granted liberty to Edw Richards to take timber of the Comon for About forty rood of 3 rayl fence.

Peter Woodward Juner Came to the select men and signifyd that he did yet want a small parcell of land that is his Just due And we Choose Rob Fullar Ser Metcalf and Ser Elic: Samuel Guild to satisfy him in land according to thier discresion

Liberty is granted to John Gay senor to take timber of the Towne Comon to make slepers for his House:

1: 3: 79 Asembled: at Euening refering to Jams Grants wife being sick of small pooxe: Capt Fisher Dec Aldus Ser Elic Ser Metcalf Ser Ponde Timo Dwight

Timothy Dwight is ordered to pay: to Jams Grant bushel whate and 2 bushels Endin Corne:

Agreed with Ser Tho Metcalf to Helpe Jams Grant to what farther he doth realy stond in want of now in his wiues sickns the Tow to repay him

21 4 1679 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Metcalfe John Bacon Timothy Dwight Dan Ponde:

And this to be a finall Isue of all former Diffrances: about this mater as witnesse our Hands: John Parepoynt Seno Samuell Wiliams: Edwrd Morise Robrt Parepoynt

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[80] Dedham 21th t79: A country: rate made at 4d vpon the poud according to a warrant recaiued from the Tresurer and the remnder for the vse of the Towne

	£	s	d				
				Liu Nath Starns	0	16	4
Eld John Hunting	0	18	11	Ser Ric Elic	1	7	4
Capt Danil Fisher	1	9	0	Ser Dan Pond	1	13	8
Peter Woodward	2	14	8	John Bacon	2	2	2
John Gay	1	17	4	Rob Ware Seno	2	3	0
Ed Richards	2	3	8	Tho Battely	1	13	7
Do Will Auery	1	7	2	Rob Fullar	1	4	10
Nath Colburn Seno	2	5	10	John Fairbank: Se	1	16	4
En Tho Fullar	1	18	10	Tho Payn Seno	1	3	8
Nath Whiting	2	4	2	John Pigge	1	4	9
Rich Euerid:	1	4	11	John Guild Seno	0	12	4
Timo Dwight	3	8	6	Tho Hering	1	14	4
Dec John Aldus	2	5	11	Ser Tho Metcalfe	1	4	6
Hen Wight	3	1	4	Samu Mills	0	18	7

Jonath Fairbank	0	17	8
Jams Thorpe	1	5	9
Nath Bulard	1	3	0
Tho Jurdan	0	18	0
Sam Gay	1	1	9
John Huntin	0	18	0
John Euerid	1	3	9
Micall Metcalf	1	3	7
John Rice	1	6	0
Henery Wilson	1	4	8
Edward Hawes	1	7	0
Tho Fisher	1	0	8
John Baker	1	1	0
Will Auery	1	3	[ ]
Joshaba: Fisher	1	13	3
Joshua			
Dan Fisher	1	3	0
Nath Chickring	0	19	4
Ezra Morse	1	3	3
	£	s	d
Nath Gay	1	10	2
John Richards	1	3	4
Eleazur Kingsbury	1	5	4
Nath Kingsbury	0	17	4
Vigelanc Fisher	0	9	4
Hester Fisher	0	9	2
Joan Flsher	1	2	9
Vid Farington	0	2	6
Vid Haiward	0	17	7
Vid Morse	0	2	6
Vid Bulard	0	19	2
Vid Duin	1	7	0
Vid Westbrooke	0	5	4
Ralph Freman	0	18	10
John Mason	0	16	2
John Fullar	1	6	0
John Fairbanker Ju	0	17	8
Asel Smith	0	9	2
John Macintosh	0	13	9
Tho Aldridg	1	13	1
Samuel Euerid	0	12	4

Jonath Fullar	0	16	6
John Smith	1	4	6
John Eaton	0	19	6
John Day	0	16	10
Jams Macanab	0	15	4
Jams Grant	0	11	8
Rob Auery	1	4	0
Samuel Guild	0	18	4
Vid: Day	0	1	7
Jams Macarwithe	0	15	8
Ralph Day	0	11	8
Nill Maciah	0	12	10
Nath Colburn	1	0	3
John Colburn	0	17	3
John Dean	0	10	8
Jonath Metcalf	0	15	4
Isaac Chinery	1	0	0
Elic Wood	0	6	8
Tho Payn Juner	0	8	8
Amos Fisher	0	7	0
John Farington	0	0	4
2			
Ben Milles	0	15	7
Will Dean	0	7	8
Samuel Barber	0	13	11
Jams Vales Seno	1	4	10
Tho Clape	1	0	0
Josep Newbury	0	6	8
	£	s	d
[81] Nath Heaton	0	13	2
Jam Vales Juner	0	7	8
John Guild Juner	0	15	0
Nath Farington	0	13	0
Jonath Fremon	0	8	10
Abraham Wheler	0	1	4
	£	s	d
Nath Richard	0	12	0
John Battely	0	9	8
John Gay Juner	0	9	8
Jonath Gay	0	9	0
Samuel Aldridge	0	1	0

1. 11. 1679. Received for ye year beginning 15. of 10^{m}. 1677 & ending 15^{d}. 10^{m}. 1678. of the Deacon & by his order the sume of Sixty pounds in money or in stead of money By Me William Adams.

1706 Our Pasters salary is proportioned as foloweth

Mr. Timothy Dwight	1	4	10	Jonathan Metcalfe	—	10	6
Peter Woodward	1	10	3	John Metcalfe	0	6	9
Joseph Ellis Juñ	0	7	6	Samvell Everit	0	8	1
William Auery Señ	0	17	8	Thomas Heslop	0	3	9
William Auery Juñ	0	12	1	Capt John Everit	—	17	0
Joseph Faiarbank	0	13	3	John Makerwithe	0	5	0
James Maknab	0	7	1	Samvell Starns	0	7	0
Samvell Holms	0	6	0	Wm Makintosh	0	7	11
Samvell Thorp	0	5	3	Nath Farington	0	15	7
Jonathan Fuller	0	16	10	Peter Thorp	0	7	11
Vid Sarah Metcalfe	0	8	2	Capt Sam Gvild	0	19	0
Josiah Fisher	0	13	10	Samveel & Timothy Gay	0	14	8
Samvell Whitting	0	14	6	John Gay Juñ	0	6	0
Timothy Whitting	1	0	0	Jams Makerwithe Juñ	0	5	1
Jonath Faiarbank	0	5	8	Josh Fisher Juñ	0	8	1
Ezra Morse	0	8	7	John Farington Juñ	0	4	10
Thomas Hering	0	8	3	John Deane Juñ	0	6	2
Nath Colburn	0	9	0	Ralph Freeman Juñ	0	6	1
Vid Exp Colburn	0	8	6	Joseph Wight Juñ	0	3	3
Michael Dwight	0	7	4	Isaac Everit	0	3	9
Daniell Aldis	0	9	3	Samvel Fuller	—	5	6
John Richards	0	11	3	Benj Onion	0	12	8
Boaz Browne	0	7	9	John Haws	0	6	7
Benj Colburn	0	14	1	Asahel Smith	0	15	1
Vigelence Fisher	0	9	3	Capt Dan^{ll} Fisher	1	1	7
Joshua Fisher Señ		18	0	Deacon Jō Wight	0	15	4
William Bullard	0	14	4	Tho Fisher	0	2	0
Robert Avery	0	17	2	Jere Fisher	0	8	10
John Hunting Señ	1	1	4	John Battele	0	12	5
John Huntting Juñ	0	11	10	Anne & Jabez Pond	0	12	4
David Eams	0	6	0	John Gay señ	0	19	7
Ebenezer Deane		3	7	Vid Pres Pond	0	0	9
John Everit Juñ	0	8	9	Vid Mary Bullard		7	9
William Everit	0	5	9	Daniell Wight	0	18	9
Barakiah Lewis	0	10	4	Eph Wilson señ	0	13	0
John Farington Sen	1	0	9	Thomas Hall	0	9	0
Eleazer Fisher	0	7	11				
John Deane señ	0	11	4				

Joseph Smith	0	5	0	James Richards	0	3	9
Nath Richards señ	0	15	8	Edward Richards	0	3	3
Jonath Battele	0	7	3	Ebenez Ware	0	9	7
John Bacon	1	1	6	Andra Dewing	1	1	1
Nath Chickring	0	6	7	Jonathan Gay	0	19	11
Eleazar Ellis	0	6	7	John Fisher	0	17	6
Leu^{t} Jos Colburn	1	4	4	John Paine	0	9	3
Nath Kingsbery		15	0	Joseph Daniells	0	10	10
Joseph Ellis sen	0	7	9	John Parker	0	10	3
Josia Newell	0	5	9	Benj Mills señ	0	10	3
Daniel Draper	0	8	10	Benj Mills Juñ	0	6	6
Tho Ockinton	0	8	3	Sam Mills	0	6	0
Leu^{t} John Baker	0	16	6	Joseph Mills	0	6	9
John Baker Juñ	0	6	1	William Mills	0	5	3
Nath Gay señ	0	13	7	Ebenezer Mills	0	4	6
Comf Starr	0	8	1	Ephram Ware	0	6	6
John Carpenter		5	6	James Kingsbery	0	7	7
Amos Fisher	0	13	5	John Smith sen	0	14	7
Wm Eaton	0	9	0	John Smith Juñ	0	3	3
Sam Ware	0	7	4	John Rice	0	10	1
Vid Hañ Ware	0	2	3	Jer Woodcock	0	6	3
El Kingsbery	1	5	6	Sam Bacon	0	5	6
Joh Woodcock	0	15	11	Robert Cook	0	5	9
Vid Aldridg	0	12	0	Samvell Parker	0	5	9
Mich Metcalfe	0	9	10	Josiah Kingsbery	0	5	7
Tho Fuller Señ	0	18	10	Math Ockinton	0	7	0
Tho Fuller Juñ	0	5	0	Joseph Commin	—	4	1
John Aldis	0	1	0	Joseph Barber	0	4	10
Nath Haws	0	4	11	Hezekiah Broad	0	3	3
Eph Wilson Juñ	0	3	3	Math Tomblin	0	4	6
John Braket	0	4	6	Tim Kingsbery	—	5	3
Nath Gay Juñ	0	5	9	And Wodkins	0	4	3
Daniell Fisher Juñ	0	6	10	Christ Smith	0	3	3
John Fuller	1	7	0	James Hering	0	0	3
John Ellis	0	10	6	Jonath Whiting	0	0	6
Nath Richards Juñ	0	6	1	Jonath Draper	0	0	4
Ralph Day	0	3	10	James Falls	0	1	6
John Chickring.	0	3	3	Zach Smith	0	3	3
Elleaz Metcalfe	0	3	3	Edward Cook	0	3	3
Thomas Metcalfe	0	5	1	John Gill	0	3	3
Ebenezer Braket	0	3	3				

[82] Asembled: 1: 7 79 to take a liste of the persons and ratable estate according to law Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Serg Tho Metcalf Serg^{t}

Dan Ponde Serg Rich Elic John Bacon Timothy Dwight Serg^{t} Hen Wight Comisoner

Granted timber to Tho Battely neare to Neticke for ahundred roods of 2 or 3 rayle fence:

10 10 79 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Serg^{t} Dan Ponde Serg Rich Elic John Bacon Ser Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight

Reconed with the Constables: Tho Battely and Jonath Fullar and due to the Towne the Just sume of [*2£—0^{s}—6^{d}] 1—18—10 This we Asigne to be peayd to Ser Tho Metcalfe:

Ser Tho Metcolf and John Bacon make a returne of a Small parcell of land thay Haue layd out to Jams Grant 2 or 3 Acres more or lesse one the south side of his House lote:

15 10 79 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Rich Elic John Bacon, Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight and Tho Metcalfe

Agreed with Tho Batteley to keep a schoole in deadham for the space of half on yeare and to begin the 17th day of this Instont and to teach all the mall Children that shall be sent to him to Read and wright and Cast Account according to the best skill he Hath and what so ever else is proper to scholers that: he is Capable to teach them; only he resarue to him self fower of or fiue weeke: in case he can not dispenc with his buisnes without he abatenge: so much as the time is he Improue for him self out of his wages: or procure: on that may be soficnt to Instuct the Children in his absenc and for his recompenc he is to recaiue of the Towne ten pouds in Corne at Country prises as now thay are Corront according to Court order

Vigilanc Fisher make a motion to Exchange a parcll of land that lyeth neare the saw mill for a parcell of land neere the south playne Ser Ponde is Chosen:to vew the land at Saw mill and then to Joyne with Ser Elic and Timo Dwight to lay out a parcll according to thier Discresion for Viglenc Fisher

Decon Aldis is depted and Impoured to repaire the scholes House and to do what may be for the speedy prepairing it for that vse and procure a bell roope Ser Elic Ser Pond and Timo Dwight is Chosen to vew a plac in Tho Jurdns lot that may be more met for a Highway and make returne

[83] Granted liberty to Joshua Fisher to take so much of the Towne timber as with the old may may rebuild his brew Howse: and also a lean to:

Ded 15 10 79 A country rate made at 2^{d} d vpon the ponde on quarter to be payd in mony: and the other Half in Corne: according to the Tresurers warrant: and the remainder to the vse of the Towne:

	£	s	d					
				Edw Richards	1	4	8	
Eld John Hunting	0	7	6	Nath Colburn: Seno	1	4	4	
Capt Dan Fisher	0	18	7	En Tho Fullar	1	1	4	
Peter Woodword	1	1	1:4	Rich Euerid	0	10	8	2
John Gay	0	7	1	Nath Whiting	0	12	10	2

Timo Dwight	1	7	7	4	John Guild Seno	0	5	4	
De John Aldus	0	18	6		Vid Morse	0	1	0	
Ser Hen Wight	1	0	2		Vid Burlord	0	9	0	2
Liu Nath Starns:	0	9	2	4	Vid Duin	0	15	0	
Ser Rich Elic	0	14	4		Vid Westbrooke	0	1	8	
Ser Dan Pond	1	4	10	4	Ralph Freemon	0	6	4	
John Bacon	1	2	8		John Mason	0	7	4	
Rob Ware	1	1	0	2	John Fullar	0	10	8	
Tho Battely	01	06	0		John Fairbanke Jun	0	7	4	
Rob Fullar	0	9	6		Asell Smith	0	4	10	
John Fairbank Seno	1	0	0		Tho Aldridg	0	16	2	
John Pigge	0	13	2		Sam Euerid	0	6	8	
Samuel Guild	0	10	2		Jona Fullar	0	8	6	
Tho Hering	1	1	6	2	John Smith	0	11	4	
Ser Tho Metcalf	0	17	2	4	John Eaton	0	10	4	2
Samu Milles	0	10	10		John Gay	0	7	0	
Jona Fairbanke	0	12	9	4	John Macintosh	0	7	2	
Jams Thorpe	0	13	9	2	Jams Macanob	0	7	0	
Nath Bulard	0	10	7		Jams Grant	0	7	8	2
Tho Jurdin	0	8	0		Jams Macarwithy	0	7	2	2
Samu Gay	0	10	8	4	Rob Auery	0	9	6	
John Hunting	0	9	10	2	Rolp Day	0	5	6	
John Euerid	0	12	10		Nill Maciah	0	5	8	
Mica Metcalf	0	13	0		Nath Colburn	0	0	9	0
John Rice	0	9	2		John Colburn	0	9	0	
Hen Wilson	0	13	4		John Dean	0	3	0	2
Ed Hawes	0	13	10		Jonath Metcalf	0	8	6	
Tho Fisher	0	10	8		Isaack Chinery	0	10	0	
John Baker	0	18	0	1	Tho Payn	0	8	10	2
Will Auery	0	16	8		Amo Fisher	0	3	6	
Josha Fisher	0	13	1		John Farington	0	16	4	
Dan Fisher	0	11	2	2	Ben Mills	0	8	0	
Nath Chickring	0	10	4		Will Dean	0	4	4	
Ezra Morse	0	13	6	2	Samu Barber	0	7	4	
Tho Payn Seno	0	16	4		Jams Vales Sen	0	4	16	
Nath Gay	0	12	8	4	John Aldus	0	3	10	
John Richard	0	11	10	4	[84] Tho Clap	0	9	0	
Eleaz Kingsbury	0	11	8	2	Joseph Newbury	0	3	4	
Nath Kingsbury	0	10	10	2	Nath Heaton	0	7	2	
Viglonc Fisher	0	5	8		Jams Vals J	0	5	8	
Hest Fisher	0	3	2		John Guild	0	6	0	
Joan Fisher	0	11	7	2	Nath Farington	0	7	0	
Vid Farington	0	1	4	2	Jona Freemon	0	4	8	

Abraham Whelar	0	4	0	John Rice	0	4	6
Nath Richard	0	4	11	Dani Fremon	0	4	4
John Battely	0	6	6	Vid Euirit	0	2	2
Jona Gay	0	7	8	Rich Puffer	0	3	4
John Gay x	0	7	8	Jededi Euerid	0	3	10
Sam Aldridg x	0	3	4	Vid Haiward	0	9	2
John Ware x	0	8	4. 2	Josep Kingsbury	0	4	0
Anto Hancock	0	3	10	Sam Sheers	0	[ ]	0 2
Josep Wight	0	6	6	John Day	0	8	4
Dan Wight	0	3	10	Jonath Auery	0	9	8

29 10 79 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalf John Bacon Timo Dwight

Granted liberty to Jonathan Auery timber of the Towne Comon for forty roods of 2 rayles fence and also one tree to make pale

Granted to Asel Smith Timber of the Towne Comon for hundred and fifty rayles and posts proportinable:

Granted to Joan Fisher liberty: to take Timber of the Towne Comon to make her forty roods of two rayle fence:

Granted to John Rice Seno timber of the Towne Comon for hundred and fifty rayles: and or timber for posts proportinable

Granted to Viglanc Fisher six Acres of Vpland adjoyning to the East side of the Highway leading from the East Street to foule meadow neere or adjoyning to a parcell of land of Doct Will Auery This is granted vpon the Condition he lay downe to the vse of the Towne nine Acres of land that fell to Him by: His father as his inheritenc it lyeth one the north side of Naponsit riuer and adjoyning vpon the Highway: neere the saw mill at the goinge ouer the riuer thier to be layd out at the discresion Ser Elic Ser Pond and Timo Dwight or any 2 of them

Recaiued of Joshua Fisher mony fower pounds ten shilings for a parcll of land sold him in 78 for which he was to pay the Towne nine pouds: and John Dean doth Couenant and Ingage to pay to the vse of The Towne, the other fower pouds and ten shilings that the aboue sayd Joshua is ingaged to the Towne within one yeare after the day of the Date Heer of witnesse my hand

I the aboue sayd John Dean do binde my selfe my Heyers Executor adminsterateric the trew performanc of this inggagmt this to be payd to the Select men for the Time beinge witnesse my Hand

29: 10 79: [1]John Dean

A bill is giuen to Capt Dan Fisher of thirty shillings in mony for Dyet at Court and three pouds in Comon pay for Dypetys Alownce:

and more 13 vpon other acout

[1]Autograph

Due to Timothy Dwight for pay by order of the select pay payd to Jams Grant 4s and 8d payd to Sam Sheers

[85] £ s d

A bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher to recaiue of the Counstabls 2 8 8 for Charges at the generall meting and select mens dyat

Recond with Timo Dwight Refering to pay due to the Towne from Mendton and due to the Tone from Timo Dwight fiue and sixpenc

Timothy Dwight hath payd as foloweth for the vse of the Towne to the select men in mony 3 pouds that was depending betwixt Ezra Morse the Towne and Timothy Dwight

in 78 to Mr Pecocke	0	7	6
to Jonath Auery	0	14	0
to Vid Bulard	0	5	0
to Mr Dan Aline	0	9	0
to Dec John Aldis	1	4	6

A bill is giuen to Nath Colburn Seno to recaue of the Counstebls for

	£	s	d
His Son Samuel killng 3 wollves in the Town	1	10	0

A bill is giuen to Dec John Aldis: to recaiue of Towne for mending the

	£	s	d
Schoole House and rayles: and on Journy to Roxbury	0	13	0

mony left in the Hand of Decon Aldis by the select men for the vse of the Towne six poud seuenten and six penc being part of the Com̄ mony 6 17 6

A bill is giuen to Ser Ric Elic for runing line

a joyney to Roxbury bushl reis	0	7	0

A bill is giuen to Ser Tho Metcalf Eleuen: shillings 6d: in mony 0£ 11s 6d

This Bills: granted to Ser Metcalf was for 20 in mony and other pay disbursed to Jams Grant in the time of thier Sickns and for pay to Samuell Sheers:

A bill is giuen to Mr Samuell Man for keeping Schoole in 78 of 7£ 0s 0d

The Defects in the Highwayes as foloweth

Jams Vales Seno Tho Clape Josep Kingsbury and Jams Vals Junr is to finish thier remander of thier work about that was Quints House and the other Defetiue plais adjoyning to the Saw Mill

		£	s	d				
					Pet Woodward Seno	0	3	0
Will Auery		0	2	0	John Guild Seno	0	3	0
Rob Auery	×	0	0	0	Est Fisher	0	2	0
Jona Auery	×	0	6	0	Josh Fisher	0	4	0
John Baker		0	2	0	Will Dean	0	1	0
Nath Ware		0	2	0	Amo Fisher	0	2	0

Josep Newbury	0	1	0	Nill Maciah	×	0	2	0
John Dean	0	1	0	Nath Richard		0	2	0
Lu Nat Starns	0	2	0	And Duine		0	4	0
Nath Kingsbury	0	3	0	Ezr Morse		0	2	0
Josia Fisher	0	3	0	John Rice Seno		0	3	0
Jonath Metcalf				Anto: Hancock		0	2	0,

A motion made referinge to the reuerend Mr William Adams Setelmt

[86] At a generall Meetinge 1 11th 1679: it is by voat determined: that a fram for the reuerend Mr William Adams be forthwith prepared at the Towne Charge

it is agreed by voat: that: the select men now to be Choosen thay aduising with Mr Adams about the dementions thier of are Impoured to take Care and manage this worke: to: efect thay hauing respect to euery mans Condition that such as haue not Corne to pay workemen may be Excpted in labour and Carting. as much as may be prouided it be doone in season.

It is agreed by voat that the parcell of Comon land lying upon both side of the Highway leading to Dorchester at the vper end of the House lot of John Farington shall not be disposed at any time by the select men

Agreed that Jonathan Fairbanke shall haue a small parcell of land that lyeth neere vnto His House and Joyn vpon his lond: to be layd out or sold to him for mony or deuident accout at the descresion of Ser Tho Metcalf and Ser Rich Elic

Capt: Fisher moue for a small parcell of land lying neer vnto his lands at Neticke This land is grand to Capt Fisher to be layd out at the descrision of Ser Hen Wight and Ser Dan Ponde

The select men to be Chosen are desired and Impoured to proportion the reuered Mr Will Adams seler and by the rulles formerly

Timothy Dwight is Chosen recorder for the yeare insuing and to be on of the select men

Capt Dan Fisher Ser Hen Wight Dec John Aldus Ser Dan Pond Ser Rich Elic Ser Tho Metcalf Thes: ware Chosen select men for the year insuinge.

Rob Ware Seno John Bacon Samell Gay are Choosen seruey for the year insuinge

Capt Fisher En Tho Fullar Ser Richard Elic are Choosen Comisoners for the year insuinge

Rob Auery: make a motion for a small parcell. of swamp of the Townes that adjoyne to neere His house lot John Bacon and Samull Gay are Choosen to vew it and make return at the generall meeting at march next

Information was: giuen of a woman whos nam is Smith an ondesirable person that now liueth at Medfield and doth intend to build vpon som of

our Towne land the select men are desired and Impoured to manage an order or do any leagall act to preunt Her or any person Comng in such maner with out liberty from the Towne.

Pet Woodward senor Samuel Guild Jams Thorpe make a motion for a parcell land lying at the vper End of the lots on the left hond of the Highway leading to the Wid Fisher House the Considation of the motion is left to the next meeting of the propriators:

Richad Euered make a motion for parcell of lond lying on the south East side of Jams Macarwithy lote to Haue it Eyther vpon Deudent Accout or vpon Exchange of land. this motion is left to Consideration till the next meeting of the propriators:

[87] Asembled 6: 11: 79. Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Richard Elic Ser Dan Ponde Ser Tho Metcalf and Timothy Dwight

Agreed with Nath Kingsbury to ringe the bell and Swep the meting House

10th 10th 79: his time begining 8th nouember 79 and so for one woll year for which he is to recaiue for his recompenc the Just some of fifty shiling: in rate pay:

In percuanc of the Towne voat refering to preparing a Fram for a House for the reuerend Mr Adams we Choose: Capt Fisher Dec Aldus Ser Don Pond to treate with him and make return to the select men: Concarning the dementions thier of

The names of such persons as are to pay to the Schoole for thier Children vnto Mr Samuel Man the last time he keep and also for Tho Battely: that is now in that Seruice of keeping the Schoole

	s	d			
Peter Woodward	12	9	Asel Smith	2	9
Richard Euerid	3	4	Dan Fisher	4	9
Nath Whiting	2	9	Ezra Morse	4	9
Timo Dwight	6	9	John Richards	6	9
Lu Nath Starns	6	9:	Nath Kingsbury	2	0
Ser Dan Pond	9	6	Eleaz Kingsbury	2	9
Rob Ware Seno:	3	4	Joan Fisher	4	9
John Ware	4	9	Vid Farington	4	9:
Tho Heringe	4	9	Vid Bulard	4	9
Ser: Tho Metcalf	11	0	John Eaton	4	9
Jona Fairbank	5	5	Jam Grant	4	9
Jams Thorpe	7	6	Jams Macarwithy	4	9:
Samuel Gay	9	6	Tho Payne	4	9:
John Hunting	4	9	Sam Sheers	2	0
John Baker	3	9	Nath Gay	9	9

Mr Harise and Mr Steuens making a motion to sojourn at Easter Fishers: house for some time:

The select men taking into Considration and finding it not agreing with: the law nor of so good report being no Head of the family: did not se Cause to Alow them

A reporte being made that Peter Woodward had taken in some of the Towne land for which we desired Ser Hen Wight: John Fairbanke Ser Tho Metcalfe: to vew: it and make returne to the: select men

13 11 79 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight

To make the reuerand Mr Will Adams Salery for the yeare 15th day of december in 79 and ending: in the 15th tenth month 80

[88] We whos names are vnder writen being deputed by the select men: to treat with Mr Will Adams: our: reuerend Pastor refering to the dementions of a frame: the Towne voated to get ready to rayse as in: the Towne Booke is Expresed: 1 11 79

We hauing declared to him the Voat of the Towne he did thankfuly except thier of but vpon Considration he rather thought it best to defer it somthing longer in which time he may vnderstand to set vp that frame to: content of all: or may be prouided: some other way:

Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Dan Pond

Granted liberty to Edward Haws for his son to take 2 or 3 trees of the Towne Comon for to make Coopers: wares for the Townes vse

Granted to Tho Fisher liberty to take timber of the Towne Comon for twenty roods of two rayle fenc:

Granted: to Rob Ware liberty to take timber of the Towne Comon for 200 rayles and posts proportinable:

Nathaniell Chickring make a motion to lay downe nine Acres of land of his lying vpon burch playne: and to take vp seauen Acres for satisfaction of it beyond that playn Comonly Called Nath Colburns playne and also Tho Fisher moue to take vp half an Acre and: 16 pooles: for a sheep Comon due to him vpon Netick deuident

Thes are granted and to be layd out at the discresion of Ser Hen Wight and Ser Daniel Pond:

Granted: to Samuel Gay: liberty to take timber of the Towne Comon for 200 rayles: and posts proportinable: to fenc his land lying neer vnto the Vid Duin House And also liberty to him and the other propriators of that field to take in abought on Acre of the Towne land to shorten thier fenc vntill the Towne do Call for it

	£	s	d
A bill is giuen to Samuell Sheers for the remainder of his pay that was due to him for his saruic in ringing the bell and sweping the meting House	0	12	0

Granted to Edward Richards: timber of the Tow Comon to build: to build a bridge ouer Charles Riuer vnto his meaddow:

Granted to John Bacon timber of the Towne Comon to build: one end to his House:

Granted to Decon Aldus timber of the Towne Comon to make hund of rayles and posts proportinabl:

Granted to Capt Fisher timber of the Towne Comon to make 100 rayles and posts proportinable

Granted to Ser Tho Metcalf timber of the Towne Comon to make about sixty rayles

Granted to Will Auery: timber of the Towne Comon to build him a barne

Granted to Ser Ric Elic timber of the Towne Comon for hundred rayles and posts proportinabl

Vpon a full Hearing of the Case betwixt Peter Woodward: and the neighbor Concarned: it is Agred that if he pay thirty: shilings in mony for the propriators vse: it shall be full satisfaction for the land fenced in of the Town nere to Jams Grants: and this land to be full satisfaction to the Aboue sayd Pet Woodwd for all former Claymes prouided the propriator at the next meeting Confirme the said grant

[89] Pasters Salery:

	£	s	d
Cap[t] Dan Fisher	1	0	0
Pet Woodward	1	10	0
John Gay	0	13	0
Edw Richards	1	10	0
Nath Colburn	1	6	0
En Tho Fullar	01	0	0
Nath Whiting	0	17	0
Rich Euerid	0	11	0
Timo Dwight	2	0	0
Dec John Aldus	1	0	0
Liu Nath Starnes	0	11	0
Ser Hen Wight	1	2	0
Ser Rich Elic	0	15	0
Ser Dan Pond	1	6	0
Ser Tho Metcalf	1	0	0
John Bacon	1	4	0
Rob Ware	1	3	0
Tho Bately	1	3	0
Rob Fullar	0	11	0
John Fairbank	1	0	0
John Pigge	0	15	0
Sam Guild	0	12	0
Tho Hering	1	1	6
Sam Milles	0	11	0
Johna Fairbank	0	15	0
John Guild	0	8	0
Jam Thorpe	0	14	0
Nath Bulard	0	12	6
Tho Jardan	0	7	0
Sam Gay	0	12	0
John Hunting	0	11	0
John Euerid	0	14	0
Tho Aldridge	0	19	0
Micall Metcalf	0	14	0
John Rice	0	9	2
Hener Wilson	0	10	0
Edw Hawes	0	15	0
Tho Fisher	0	11	0
John Baker	0	16	0
Will Auery	0	18	0
Josh Fisher	0	16	0
Dan Fisher	0	13	0
Nath Chickring	0	10	4

Ezra Morse	0	15	0	Jona Metcalf	0	8	0
Nath Gay	0	15	0	Isaac Chinery	0	10	0
John Richards	0	14	0	Tho Payn Seno	0	17	0
Eleaz Kingsbury	0	15	0	Amo Fisher	0	6	0
Nath Kingsbury	0	13	0	John Farington	0	18	0
Viglanc Fisher	0	5	8	Ben Milles	0	9	0
Hester Fisher	0	4	0	Will Dean	0	5	0
Josia Fisher	0	11	7	Sam Barber	0	6	0
Vid Farington	0	4	0	Jams Vales	0	15	0
Vid Morse	0	2	0	Tho Clap	0	9	0
Vid Bulard	0	9	0	Josep Newbury	0	3	6
Vid Duin	0	16	0	Nath Heaton	0	7	0
Vid Westbroke	0	1	8	Jam Vales Junor	0	5	0
Vid Haiward	0	9	4	Nath Farington	0	8	0
Rolp Freman	0	6	4	Jona Freman	0	4	8
John Mason	0	7	4	[90] Nath Richards	0	8	0
John Fullar	0	13	0	Abrah Wheler	0	4	0
Asel Smith	0	6	0	John Battely	0	6	0
Sam Euerid	0	8	0	Tho Payn	0	8	0
Jona Fullar	0	11	0	John: Gay Ju	0	9	0
John Smith	0	12	0	Jona Gay	0	8	0
John Eaton	0	10	0	Anto Hancock	0	4	0
John Macintosh	0	7	0	Josep Wight	0	8	0
Jam Macanob	0	7	0	Dan Wight	0	5	0
Jam Grant	0	4	0	Josep Kingsbury	0	4	0
Jam Macarwithe	0	7	0	John Rice	0	4	6
Nill Maciah	0	5	8	Dauid Freman	0	4	0
Rob Auery	0	12	0	Vid Euerid	0	2	0
Rolp Day	0	7	0	Rich Puffer	0	3	6
Nath Colburn	0	11	0	Jede Euerid	0	4	0
John Colburn	0	10	0	John Day	0	8	0
John Dean	0	6	0	Jona Auery	0	10	0

It is ordered Those men belonging to the Saw mill with Isaac Chinery are to pay to the reuerend Mr John Wilson two third parts of thier rates and to bringe his recaite which shall be thier discharge for so much in or as mony and the other third part to Mr Will Adams pastor

It is ordered by the select men that the propriators of this Towne shall meet 8th: 1: mo at 12 of the Clocke in 79:—80 to Consider what shall further be done refering: to the laying out a deuident that was agreed vpon at the generall meting: in the year 78 and to Consider further of such things as shall thier be presented:

23: 12: 79 Asembled Capt Dan: Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Ponde Timo Dwight

Nath Colburn: is Choosen: sealer for: the yeear insuinge:

Men Choosen to burne the woods: for this yeear as foloweth

Samuel Euerid for the East street: for the Smoth playne: and midle playn Ed Hawes: Anthony Hancocke: For the Iland: And Duine: and Sam Mills:

Men Choosen: to vew fences, for the year insung as foloweth

For the west side of the Towne as formerly John Gay Senor and Ensi Tho Fullar For the East side of the Towne John Fairbanke and Nath. Colburn: Seno: For the grat playne and Schole land Ser Hen Wight: Nath Gay: Micall Metcalfe

For the fields: to Netick ward on both sides: of the riuer: Dan Fisher Jun and Tho Fisher: for South playn: Naponsit field: Purgotory: and Ed Hawes land: John Pigge John Euerid

For Roxbury: playn. John Richard and Will Auery:

This is to Impoure and desired Dec Aldus to recaiue of Ser Metcalf twenty fower shillinge that is due to the Towne for defect sold him of the: Highway worke and Dec Aldus is desired to Improue it for the relife of the Vid Mason

Granted John Farington: timber of the Towne Comon for 150 rayles and and posts proportinable:

Granted Nath Farington timber to take of the Towne Comon to make him a Frame for a House prouid he doth Improue all the timber prudently: that he doth fell to that End

[91] Granted to Dan Fisher Juner timber of the Towne Comon: for to make one 100 rayles and 50 postes:

Dedham 8 1 $\frac{78}{80}$ At a generall meetinge it was declared that William Nahoyden an Indin doth Claym a title to a great part of our land vpon the Iland that is on the North sid of the Towne

The Towne taking into Considration this thinge aboue writen did Choose the select men to treat with the Indin and Agree with him vpon as easy tearms for the Towne as thay may:

In Answer to the Court order sent vp to the Towne to demand the remainder of the pay that is on payd that was giuen to the new Collidge: we Choose Capt Fisher to go to Boston to giue an Accout to the Comity accordinge to the Court order how things do yet stond:

13 2 1680 Asembled Cap Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic Ser Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond Timothy Dwight

A bill is giuen to Capt Fisher and En Thomas Fullar for thier Charges the last generall Court: in febuewary in 70: of £0 16^{s} 0^{d}

William Nohoiden an Indin Coming to the Select men and demanded of the Towne: forty pouds and fifty Acres of land for a parcell of land lying

vpon the great Iland on: the north Side of Charles riuer fiue miles on way and fower miles the other: but vpon debat and treating with him we agreed with the Indian aboue sayd for ten pound in mony and: forty Acres of land to ly neer about the vper falles and forty shilings in Indian Corne The select men Choose and Impowered Ensigne Fullar Ser Elic to recaiue a deed: and to pay the mony and Corne and set out the land to the aboue sayd Will Nehoiden

Ser Wight and Samuel Milles: did Com and make a motion to haue liberty to build a bridge ouer Charles Riuer at the place Comly called the passage ouer at the Cannooes to the great playne: it is at the vper End of Tho Payns meaddow: this motion is granted and that a Highway shall be layd out to that End and that the Serueyers is desired and ordered to alow so much worke: out of the Higway worke: as contayn to: 12 dayes of on carte

Grant to Micall Metcalf fiue Acres: of land to be layd out neer vnto th e Chesnut tres: at the discresion of Ser Elic and Tho Aldridge this land is alowed to him for land taken away by the Towne: and layd out John Fairbanke.

Grant to John Smith: fiue Acres of land to be layd out at the descrsion of Ser Elice and Tho Aldridge neer to the Chesnut trees: this land is Alowed to him for land layd out to him at pond playn and was altogether on vsefull to him

Nath Colbur and Ser Elic and Timothy Dwight is deputed and Impourd to lay out a Highway to the purchas meaddows

Dec John Aldus Ser Richard Elic and Timothy Dwight is Chosen to lay out a Higway leading to the place Comonly called the cannoos on the North side: of Charles Riuer threw and Tho Paynes meadow: and so on the East Side of Hen Wights land

[92] 16: 3: 80 Asembled Dec John Aldus Ser Richard Elic Ser Henery Wight Ser Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight

A complaynt by John Baker that he wanted about 2 Acres of land of his mesur in that lot of his at Birch play and he thinkes that Edward Hawes lote that ly next to him hath it

Edward Richards Ser Richard Elic is choosen a comity to inquire in that Case: and vew the maner of the line runing betwixt the aboue sayd John Baker and Edwrd Hawes and make return to the select men

31 3 80 Asembled Cap Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic and Timo Dwight

Samuel Milles: Hen Wight make a motion to haue more Help from the Towne to rayse the: Bridge formerly spooken of

The select men grant that thay: shall aply them selues to the serueiuer and to choose out ten men for 3 dayes that may be most sutebl to Help on that worke:

14 4 1680 Asembled Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalf Timo Dwight

Complaynt that thier is two Highwayes vpon the Iland straightned by seting vp fences on neer the great Bridge leading to John Eatons House and the other way neer the House that was sometime Samuel Judson vpon consideration Heerof we Choose En Fullar Robrt Ware: and Nath Colburn senor or any two of them to inquire in to that case and to make return to the select men:

Tho Aldridg make a motion to exchange a small parcell of meaddow lyinge in the Crambery meaddow it is for the Conuenincy of his fenc En Fullar Robrt Ware is choosen to vew the sayd meaddow and Acte in that Case according to thier discresion and make return to the select men

Tithinge men Choosen for the year insuinge as Foloweth Liut Starns for the South East end of the East as far as the Higway leading to the low playn and Ezra Morse for the remainder of that part of the Town John Bacon for the midle playne Tho Battely for the Smoth playn Robrt Ware for the Iland

28: 4: 80: Asembled after traininge Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Ric Elic Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalf

Dec John Aldus Ser Ric Elic and Timothy Dwight make thier returne that thay haue layd out a Highway leading from neer about Hener Wilsons House downe to the place Comonly Called the Canooes and so throw Tho Payns meadow and on the east side of Ser Hen Wight land on the north sid of Charles Riuer

Tho Payn Senò aperinge this day for Satisfaction for the Higway layd out throw his meaddow the select men did agree with him for that parcell of vpland adjoyning to His meaddow that Contayn fower or fiue Acres layd out by En: Tho Fullar and Ser Henrie Wight and that the Towne shall pay to the sayd Tho Payn mony twenty fiue shillinge [93] And that the fore sayd Tho Payne Senor is to make and mayntayn that fence for Euer belonging to his said meadow that the Highway therough his meadow doth ocaton

Doc Will Auery doth tender mony sixty pounds for the incoragment of a latine Schoole in this Towne prouided thier be such incoragmt to a choole as may be sutoble of the Townes part and to that end to treet with him refering to his conditions we Chose Capt Dan Fisher and En Tho Fullar

Ser Richar Elic and Ser Dan Pond is Choosen to to treat with Tho Battely refering to keeping a Schoole in a conuenient time

Decon Sart Fisher and Timothy is Choosen to vew a small parcell of land lying adjoyning to Thomas Jurdans land at South playne gate:

Asembled to take a liste of the ratable Estat with the Comisoner

John Bacon 16 6 mo 1680 Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Srg^{t} Tho Metcalf Serg Dan Pond Serg Rich Elic Timothy Dwight

Joshua Fisher: mouing to setell his fenc at the South Playne Chose to that End Nath Colburn: Senor Ser Elic and Henery Wight

22 9 mo 1680 Asembled to make the Countery rate Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Ric Elic

A bill is giuen to Mr Samuell Man of seauen pouds for his salery in keeping the schoole in 78 This bill was granted 29 10 79 to Mr Man and is now Asigned vnto Timothy Dwight

A bill is giuen to Capt Fisher of six pounds 5^{s} three pounds five shilng in or as mony it is for His depty Alouenc and Chargs

Reconed with John Pigge and Nath Kingsbury late Constables and due to the Towne on pound fiue shill sixp—1£ 5s 6^{d}

22 9 mo 80 A rate made made according to a warrant recaiued from the Treasurer at 4^{d} vpon the pound Halfe to be payd in mony forthwith and the other halfe in Corne as formerly together with one peny vpon the pound to defray Towne Charges:

	£	s	d				
Capt Dan Fisher	2	4	2	Nath Bulard	1	10	10
Peter Woodward Seno	2	9	9	Tho Jurdan	0	19	10
John Gay	0	15	5	[94] Sam Gay	1	07	3
Edw Richards	2	13	4	John Hunting	2	3	1
Nath Colburn	3	4	2	John Euerid	1	14	4
En Tho Fullar	2	8	6	Tho Aldridg	1	16	8
Nath Whiting	1	21	1	Micall Metcalf	1	13	1
Richard Euerit	1	13	4	John Rice Seno	1	2	1
Timothy Dwight	3	8	3	Hen Wilson	0	2	6
De John Aldus	2	5	5	Edw Hawes	1	13	6
Liu Nath Starns	1	5	2	Tho Fisher	1	6	0
Serg^{t} Hen Wight	3	5	0	John Baker	1	12	11
Serg^{t} Richard Elic	1	13	11	Will Auery	1	10	0
Serg^{t} Dan Pond	2	13	9	Joshua Fisher	1	11	0
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalf	1	14	11	Dan Fisher	1	10	7
John Bacon	2	16	0	Nath Chickery	1	9	9
Rob Ware	3	1	0	Ezra Morse	2	9	2
Tho Battely	2	8	4	Nath Gay	1	15	2
Robr Fullar	0	17	6	John Richards	1	10	2
John Fairbank	2	11	0	Eleaz Kingsbury	1	13	1
John Pigge:	1	13	11	Nath Kingsbury	1	6	10
Sam Guild	2	2	8	Vigilenc Fisher	0	13	6
Tho Hering	2	16	0	Hester Fisher	0	7	6
Sam Milles	1	6	5	Vid Farington	0	3	9
Jams Thorpe	1	17	6	Vid Morse	0	1	6

Jonath Auery	1	4	2	Amo Fisher	0	11	10
Jonath Fairbanke	1	18	11	John Farington	0 2	1	10
John Payne	0	15	10	Ben Milles	1	4	2
Jams Draper	0	2	0	Will Dean	0	11	3
Tho Boyden	0	1	3	Sam Barber	0	18	6
Vid Bulard	1	4	9	Jam Vales Seno	1	15	0
Vid Duin	2	6	5	Tho Clape	1	5	0
Vid Haiward	1	7	6	Nath Heaton	0	14	9
Vid Westbroke	0	6	5	Jams Vales Juner	0	12	6
Ralp Freeman	0	18	4	Nath Farington	0	14	2
John Mason	0	18	6	Jonath Freman	0	12	11
John Fullar	1	9	3	Nath Richards	1	5	7
Asel Smith	0	12	3	Abraham Wheler	0	11	3
Sam Euerid	0	17	1	John Battely	0	19	8
Jonath Fullar	0	19	9	Tho Payne Ju	1	2	5
John Smith	1	6	3	John Gay Ju	1	2	6
John Eaton	1	5	8	Jonath Gay	1	1	3
John Macintosh	0	16	10	Antho: Hancocke	1	0	5
Jam Macanab	0	18	6	Joseph Wight	1	1	10
Jams Grant	0	16	3	John Rice Juner	0	11	10
Jams Macarory	1	1	8	Dauid Freman	0	1	3
Nill Maciah	0	16	8	Josia Fisher	0	18	9
Robrt Auery	1	8	0	Sam Aldridg	0	4	2
Ralph Day	0	18	1	Edw: Coocke	0	8[s]	4
Nath Colburn	1	2	11	Nath Ware	0	9	7
John Colburn	1	0	0	Math: Stone	0	8	4
John Dean	0	13	1	John Thurston Sen		1	3
Jona Metcalf	1	6	0	Tho Boyden:			
Isaac Chinery	0	17	6	Josep Newbury	0	8	4
Tho Payn Seno	1	6	0	Timo Whiting	0	13	0

[95] 3 10 mo 1680 Asembled to Recon with the Constables and the serueyers Cap[t] Dan Fisher Deco John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Ser Rich Elic Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalf Timothy Dwight

Cap[t] Dan Fisher make a return of the trust Comited to him selfe and En Tho Fullar of a Some of mony of sixty pounds giuen to the Towne and the Improument for the benifit of a Latine Schoole

The returne is as foloweth be it Here by declared that I Will Auery Phisision now resedent in Boston: some times of the Church of Dedham do out of my Intire loue to the: Church and Towne: thier frely giue the full Some of sixty pound in mony thier of to be wholy for the incoragmt of a latin Schoole as shall be from time to tim so ordered by the Elders or Elder of that Church and select men for the time being desirons y[t] others whom

god shall make able will adde thier vnto that a latine Schoole may generaly be maintayned thier and this to stand vpon record in thier towne Booke

In as much as thier was 3 men appoynted a comity in 68 to lay out a Highway in the broad meadow vpon the great Iland betwixt the propriators two of them being deceased Robrt Ware and Ser Henery: Wight is deputed in thier Stead to Joyn with En Tho Fullar and to Efect that worke according to thier best descresion: and the way to by layd out betwixt the second and third diuision and the Higway that formerly was layd out betwixt the first and second diuition thier be layd doune: to the Towne according to the former order to satisfy for this Higway:

Peter Woodward Came to the select men and demand that the Towne did ingage to pay to his Brother Mr William Woodward forty pound for his seruic in preaching for the Towne in 68 the select men Answered to him that it was meet to propose it at the general meeting

	£	s	d
A bill is giuen vnto Seth Smith for killing a woolf of	0	10	0
A bill is giuen: to a Netick Endin Samuel Williams of ten shillings for killing of a woolf	0	10	0

Granted liberty to Joshua Fisher to take timber of the Comon to build him a sider mill

	£	s	d
A Bill is giuen to Nath Kingsbury for his seruic in the meting House in 79 and: 80 his yeare Ended 8 nouember in 80	2	10	0

And that he doth ingage: to go on in this seruic in ringing the bell and sweping the meting House on year more and to recaiue for his labour fifty shillings: in rate pay

[96] 6 10 mo 1680 A rate made for the defraying County Charges. by vertew of warrant recaiued from the County Treasurer requiring the leaui to be a half peny vpon the poud to be gathred forth with:

Capt Dan Fisher	0	4a	5	Sergt Metcalf	0	3	6
Pet Woodward	0	5	0	John Bacon	0	5	8
John Gay seno	0	1	7	Rob Ware	0	6	1
Edw Richards	0	5	4	Tho Battely	0	4	10
Nath Colburn	0	6	5	Robr Fullar	0	1	9
En Tho Fullar	0	4	10	John Fairbank	0	5	2
Nath Whiting	0	3	5	John Pigge	0	3	5
Rich Euerit	0	3	4	Sam Guild	0	4a	4
Timo Dwight	0	6	10	Tho Hering	0	5	7
De John Aldus	0	4	7	Sam Milles	0	2	8
Liu Nath Starns	0	2	7	Jams Thorpe	0	3	9
Ser Hen Wight	0	6	6	Nath Bulard	0	3	1
Ser Ric Elic	0	3	5	Tho Jurdan	0	2	0
Ser Dan Ponde	0	5	4	Sam Gay	0	2	9

John Hunting	0	4	2
John Euerit	0	3	5
Tho Aldridg	0	3	8
Micoll Metcalf	0	3	5
John Rice seno	0	2	3
Hen Wilson	0	0	3
Edwor Hawes	0	3	4
Tho Fisher	0	2	7
Dan Fisher	0	3	1
John Baker	0	3	4
Will Auery	0	3	0
Joshua Fisher	0	3	2
Nath Chickring	0	3	0
Ezra Morse	0	4	11
Nath Gay	0	3	6
John Richards	0	3	0
Eleaz Kingsbury	0	3	4
Nath Kingsbury	0	2	8
John Payne	0	1	7
Tho Boyden	0	0	2
Viglonc Fisher	0	1	5
Hest Fisher	0	0	9
Vid Farington	0	0	5
Vid Morse	0	0	3
Jona Auery	0	2	5
Jam Draper	0	0	2
Jona Fairbanke	0	3	11
Vid Bulard	0	2	6
Vid Duin	0	4	8
Vid Haiward	0	2	9
Vid Westbroke	0	0	8
Rolp Freeman	0	1	10
John Mason	0	1	10
John Fullar	0	2	11
Asell Smith	0	1	2
Sam Euerid	0	1	7
Jona Fullar	0	2	0
John Smith	0	2	8
John Eaton	0	2	7
John Macintosh	0	1	8
Jams Macanab	0	1	10
Jams Grant	0	1	8
Jams Macawithy	0	2	2
Nill Maciah	0	1	4
Robr Auery	0	2	10
Rolp Day	0	1	10
Nath Colburn Jun	0	2	4
John Colburn	0	2	0
John Dean	0	1	4
Jona Metcalf	0	2	7
Isaac Chinery	0	1	9
Tho Payn Seno	0	3	8
Amos Fisher	0	1	3
John Farington	0	4	2
Ben Milles	0	2	5
Will Dean	0	1	2
Sam Barber	0	1	10
Jams Vales seno	0	3	6
Tho Clap	0	2	6
Nath Heaton	0	1	6
Jams Vales Junr	0	1	3
Nath Farington	0	1	5
[97] Jona Freman	0	1	4
Nath Richards	0	2	7
Alra Wheeler	0	1	2
John Battely	0	2	0
Tho Payn Juner	0	2	3
John Gay Juner	0	2	3
Jonath Gay	0	2	2
Antho Hancock	0	2	1
Josep Wight	0	2	2
Dauid Freeman	0	0	2
Josia Fisher	0	1	11
Edw Coock	0	0	10
Sam Aldridge	0	0	6
Nath Ware	0	1	0
Math Stone	0	0	10
John Thurston seno	0	0	2
John Rice Juner	0	1	2
Josep Newbury	0	0	10
Timo Whiting	0	1	4

28 10 1680 Asembled Capt Dan Fisher Dec John Aldus Ser Hen Wight Serg^{t} Richard Elic Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalfe and Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to Edwr Hawes of ten shilings for his seruic in looking after the Boyes: two years His time Ending at march: 80 and 81

Decon Aldus giue an account of that six pounds seauenten shillings and sixpnc How it was disbursed that was left in his hand of the Comon mony

	£	s	d
to Ser Henery Wight	0	1	8
to Est Fisher	0	2	0
to John Baker and Hubord	0	5	0
To Eleazer Aline	0	5	0
To Cor Fisher	0	2	0
to Will Nahoiden for the title of His land that was purchesed abot the Falles	6	0	0
	£	s	d
Rest due to the Towne From Decon Aldus Still to Balnc	0	1	10
	£	s	d
due to Decon Aldus: for mony he lent to the Towne to pay the Iindin Will Nottoiden	2	0	0
	£	s	d
due vnto Timothy Dwight for mony: lent to the Towne to pay the Indin Will Nahoiden	2	0	0
	£	s	d
A bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher of two: pouds forten shillinge for Charges at the generall meting and for select mens dyet	2–14		0

A bill is giuen vnto Dec John Aldus: of six shillig for 2 bushls Corne lent to pay the Indin for His land:

A bill is giuen vnto Ser Elic of 6s for 2 bushls Endin Corne: lent to the Towne to pay the Indene

A bill is giuen to Timo Dwight of 2s 6d of part of two bushls Half Corn lent the Towne to pay the Indin

A bill is giuen to Henery Wight of 3s for bushl Corne lent to the Town to pay the Indin

Indian Mogast doth Clayme A title to a tract of land that we do vsuly coll Mogast Hill and thier abovt

What the Towne will do referinge to a schoole

[98] 3 11 1680 At a generall meeting it was proposed that an Indian Maguse by name doth Claime title to a tract of land lyinge neer the Herd yard Capt Dan Fisher En Tho Fullar Ser Elic and Nathaniell Bulard was Chosen to inquire and treat with the Indin aboue named and make returne to the Towne at the generall meting in march next

Peter Woodward signifyed to the Towne that thier was forty pounds giuine to his Brother Mr William Woodword for his labour in preaching to the Towne: in the year 1668 and it wos not payd to him according: to the Ingagmt wholy. Capt Dan Fisher En Fullar and Liut Nath Starns: ware Chosen a Comity to inquire in to that Case and make return to the Towne at the generall meeting in march next

The care of prouiding: a schoole master that may Answer the Townes End is left to the select men now to be choosen

The making the proportion of the salery for the reuerend Mr Adams for the yeare insuing is left to the select men to be Chosen by the same rulles that formerly that did go by

elections are as followeth. Nathanell Stearnes is chosen Recorder & Select man

Capt Fisher Deacon Aldus Cornit Dwight Ensign Fuller Henry Wight Serg^{t} Metcalfe are Chosen Select men

Nathanell Cobburn James Thorp Robert Were Tho Fisher are chosen Surveyers vpon a motion made by John Payne for a Small percel of land

Ensign fuller and Thomas Aldridg are deputed to vew the s^{d} land and to make return to the ꝑprietors at the meeteing in march next

Vpon A motion made by Jonathan Freeman for a percell of Land Serg^{t} Ellice: and Serg^{t} Metcalfe are deputed to vew the same and to make return at the meeteing in march next

Samvell Barber make^{s} A motion for A Small percell of Land: and Robert Were and Thomas Aldridg are deputed to vew the s^{d} lande and to make return at the meeteing: in march next

John Pygg haueing a grant from the Town: of land which he hath already paide for: and although A Commete was Chosen by the Town to lay it out it is not yet accomplished: the Towne haue therefor Chosen Samvel Guild to Joyne with the former Cometee: and they or the major p^{t} of them to accomplish the same

[99] The qvestion being put whether the Town did disire that A meete person should be desired and agreed with to ringe the Bell constantly att nine of the clock at night euery night the yeare insueinge alowing hime reasonabll satisfaction; voated in ye affirmitive.

The qvestion being putt whether the Town would alow threpenc for euery single Hawke that Should be kiled in town by any person: it was voated in the affirmitive.

17 11 1680 Asembled Capt Daniell Fisher Deacon Aldus Ensign Fuller Cornit Dwight Serg^{t} Wight Serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

To ꝑportion our Reverend Pastor his salerie the year begining the 15th day of December in the year 1680

Capt Daniell Fisher	1	0	0	Car^{t} Timothy Dwight	2	0	0
Peter Woodward	1	8	6	Dea John Aldus	1	1	6
John Gay sen^{r}	0	8	0	Nath Stearnes	0	12	0
Edw Richards	1	15	0	Serg^{t} Henery Wight	1	8	0
Nath Colburn sen^{r}	1	5	8	Serg^{t} Richard Elic	0	17	0
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	2	0	Serg^{t} Daniell Pond	1	5	0
Nath Whiteing	0	16	2	Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	1	0	0
Richard Everit	0	12		John Bacon	1	4	0

Robt Were	1	7	0	John Smyth	0	10	6
Tho Battle	0	19	0	John Eaton	0	10	0
Robt Fuller	0	10	4	John Makintosh	0	9	0
John Fairbanke	1	0	0	James Makinab	0	6	0
John Pygg	0	16	0	[100] James Grant	0	5	0
John & Samuell Guild	0	17	0	James Mackerwithy	0	8	0
Tho Hering	1	0	0	Nell Mackiah	0	6	4
Samuell Mills	0	10	6	Robt Auery	0	14	0
James Thorp	0	15	0	Ralph Day	0	7	0
Nath. Bulard	0	12	6	Nath: Colburn	0	11	0
Tho Jordin	0	6	0	John Colburn	0	10	0
Samvill Gay	0	11	0	John Dean	0	6	0
John Hunting	0	11	3	Jona Metcalfe	0	10	0
John Everit	0	15	0	Isaac Chinery	0	9	0
Tho Aldridg	0	19	0	Tho Paine sen^{r}	0	14	6
Michill Metcalfe	0	14	0	Amos Fisher	0	8	0
John Rice sen^{r}	0	9	0	John Farington	0	16	9
Henery Wilson	0	10	0	Beni Mills	0	9	8
Edw Hawes	0	13	6	Will Dean	0	5	0
Tho Fisher	0	10	8	Samvell Barber	0	7	0
Daniell Fisher	0	13	0	James Fale sen^{r}	0	15	0
John Baker	0	13	2	Tho Clap	0	9	0
William Auery	0	18	0	Nath: Heaton	0	6	0
Joshua Fisher	0	16	0	James Fale jun^{r}	0	6	0
Nath: Chickering	0	11	9	Nath Farington	0	7	0
Ezra Morse	0	14	0	Nath Richards	0	10	3
Nath Gay	0	15	0	Jona Freman	0	4	9
John Richards	0	14	0	Abra Wheeler	0	4	6
Elea Kingsbiery	0	15	0	John Battle	0	7	0
Nath Kingsbury:	0	10	9	Tho Payn jun^{r}	0	6	0
Vigel Fisher	0	5	6	John Gay jun^{r}	0	9	0
Esthei Fisher	0	3	0	Joseph Wight	0	8	9
Vid Farington	0	4	0	Josia Fisher	0	8	9
Vid Morse	0	2	0	Edw Cook	0	3	4
Jon Auery	0	9	8	Nath Were	0	4	0
Jona Fairebanke	0	16	4	Math Stone	0	4	0
Vid Bulard	0	8	0	John Rice jun^{r}	0	3	10
Vid Duin	0	18	6	Joseph Newbury		3	4
Vid Hayward	0	10	0	Timo Whiteing	0	6	0
Vid Westbrooke	0	1	8	Jona Gay	0	8	0
Ralph Freman	0	7	4	John Payn	0	7	4
John Mason	0	7	6	Joan Fisher	0	2	0
John Fuller	0	13	0	Beni Oinion	0	3	4

Asahall Smith	0	6	0	Jona Fuller	0	10	0
Samvell Everit	0	8	0				

This day the Select men Agreed with Thomas Battle, to keepe the Schooll vntell the 24th of Jun next insueing, vnles there Shall some other appear who may be thout more meete to manage that worke. and if so, then the Sd Thomas is to leave of at the end of his quarter. Provided he have notic of it by the 17th of march next. and for his satisfaction, he Excepts of the salery the Town alowe both for quantyty and quality

Edward Richards and Sergt Elic being depvted by the Select men to vew A percill of land vpon bvrch plaine, then in contrevercy between John Baker and Edward Hawes doe make thier return as foloweth vizt that vpon vewing and measureing Edward Hawes hise Lott: they finde that he hath two acres more then measur and that John Baker wants A considerabl qvantitie of hise due,and that (as they Judg) ye devision line between them is lost

A bill is given to Ezra Morse to receive of the constable 2£—10s—for kiling five wolves

A bill is given to Peter an Indian to receiue of the constable ten Shilings for kiling A wolfe

21 11 1680 Assembled in the Afternoon Capt Daniell Fisher Ensign Fuller Cornt Dwight Deacon John Aldus Sergt Henery Wight Sergt Tho Metcalfe Nath: Stearnes to perfict the pportioning of our Rd Pastor his salerie

[101] Vpon information that there is some inconvenancy and disorder in the famely of John Mackintosh, the Select men sent for hime: and he not giveing them such satisfaction as they desired: they deputed Ensign Fuller and Sergt Wight to goe to hise house and take perticvler notice of the state of his famaly, and make return to them that so they might act accordingly

Vpon the complaint of John Baker that he hath not his pportion of land at Burch plaine (and the Select men haveing formerly depvted men to vew those lotts and they makeing thier retvrn as is before expressed) doe order that Edward Hawes his lott shall be measvred againe att his own charge, and the remainder to ly next John Baker to make vp hise pportion there

the Select men being informed that John Eaton entertains an inmate in his house contrary to town order, they appointed Ensign Thomas Fuller and Sergt Henery Wight to give them notic to forbear

being also informed that Peter Woodward entertain an inmate in hise house contrary to Town order Sergt Tho Metcalfe is desired to give hime the like notic

Vpon complaint of the schoolmaster that the schoolehouse is very defitient and vncomfortabl for himselfe and scholeres Deacon John Aldus is deputed to vew the sd house and to doe what is necesecery in that behalfe

Cornt Timothy Dwight make a motion to exchang a percill of Land containeing 19 acres lying vpon Powisit Plaine and to take it vpon Bvrch Plaine

Ensign Thomas Fuller and Thomas Aldridg being at a generall meeteing

chosen to lay out land for Samvill Miles and Samvill Barber, this day they make thier return that they have laide out to Samvell Miles five acres, and to Samvell Barber five acres only reserveing leberty for the Town to fetch wood (if they shall se cavse) from the lande of Samvell Barber vntell the first day of Apriell in the year 1682

7 1 168$\frac{1}{0}$ Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Cornit Timothy Dwight Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nathanell Stearnes

Nathanell Colburn is chosen sealer for the year ensveing

men chosen to vew Fences for the west end of the Town to the elders Lane and so down to the river Thomas Battle and Thomas Aldridg and from thenc for the east part of the Town Serg^{t} Elice and John Fairebanke for the great plain school ground. Fields about Samvel Mils^{s} and all those fieldes thier abouts Nath: Gay Nath Bulard and John Fvller. for Ralph Days ground for Andrew Dvin his fildes and those fieldes there abouts: Daniell Fisher and John Gay jun^{r}. for Neponsit field south plaine Purgetery plaine and Edward Hawes his ground John Pygg and John Everit for Roxbury plaine wiliam Auery and Ezra Morse, for the low plaine the same men last aboue writen

Men appointed to bvrn the woods for the East Street Samvell Euerit for the medle plaine and smooth plaine Edward Hawes and Jonathan Gay for the Island Andrew Duin

for as much as the select men vnderstand that the present schoolmaster doe not giue that content to the Town that is to be desired: doe agree to propose to the Town what may be further done in that mater

Received of John Dean for the vse of the Town forty shilings in mony being part of the four pounds and ten shilings he is ingaged to pay to the vse of the Town which mony was delivered to Cornit Dwight to satisfy for Land purchised of wiliam nahoidin

Received of serg^{t} Metcalfe ten shilings paid to Deacon Aldus for vid Mason and ten shilings he paid in part of a bil dve to hime selfe and fovr shilings he paide to the schoolmaster which twenty four shilings is the whole sum he was to pay for defects in high way work sould vnto hime

[102] 8 1 168$\frac{1}{0}$ at a generall meeteing of the inhabitants Capt Fisher Serg^{t} Elic and Nath: Bulard make retvrn to the Town that they have treated the indian magvs conserning a tract of land the said magus lays claim to^{t} and they haveing not fully agreed with hime: the Town have depvted Cap. Fisher Ensign Fuller Serg^{t} Elic and Nathanell Bulard further to treat the indian and to make a full agreement with hime conserneing the saide land

Capt Fisher is desired and depvted to get a coppy of the grant of our land on the south side of Charls river out of the court records

Capt fisher Ensign fuler and Nath: Stearnes make retvrn of what was comited to them conserning Peter Woodward hise demand for hise brother m^{r} wiliam woodward his salery

The qvestion being put whether the Town Judge that there is something honistly due to Peter woodward vpon the account of M^{r} wiliam woodward his salery voated in the affirmitive

The Town by voate declared that Peter woodward shall have ten pounds paide to him or his order in current country pay: vpon the account of his brother M^{r} william woodward, his salery, which payment shall fully cleare the Town from any further ingagement vpon the account aboue saide and that they will chuse a commetee to leavie the above said ten povnds vpon such persons as were resident in the Town in the time of M^{r} woodwards preaching here: and that have not already paide and vpon such as are heiers to them the Cometee chosen are Capt Fisher Ensign Fuler Serg^{t} Elic serg^{t} Metcalfe and Nath: Stearnes

the Town order canserning the ringing of the bell was this day repealed

Abra Wheeler make a motion for a parcell of land neer the redg hill

John Everit and John Pydg are deputed to vew the said land and make retvrn to the Town at the Generall meeteing 14th march next

This meeteing is adjurnd to the 14th of march next

14 1 168$\frac{0}{1}$ Assembled Capt Fisher Ensign Fuller Cornit Dwight Deacon Jo Aldus Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

Elder Hunting make a motion for a way to his land at the herd yard

The names of the persons that are to pay for there childrins schooleing to the present schoolmaster

	s		
John Hunting	6	Michill Metcalfe	3
John Colburn	3	Ezra Morse	6
John Eaton	3	James Grant	3
Benj miles	3	Nath: Whiteing	3
Nath: Heaton	3	Serg^{t} Elice	3
Asahell Smith	3	Nath Colburn	3
John Baker	3	Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	6
John Richards	3	Tho Herring	3
Vid farington	3	Vid joan Fisher	3
Vid Bulard	3	Serg^{t} Pond	6
James Makerwithy	3	Samvell Gay	6
	s	Nath: Gay	6
Pet Woodward	6		s d
Josh Fisher	3	Dea Jo^{n} Aldus	1 6
Jonathan Fairebanke	3	Elea Kingsbuiry	3
James Thorp	3	Michill Metcalfe	3

A bill is given to Benjeman Miles of ten shilings for kileing a woulfe

A bill is given to Nath: Whiteing of five shileings for corn he lent to pay the Indian Nehodin

A bill is given to sergent Pond to receive of the constabl 10^{s} which he paid to an Indian for kileing a wolfe

A bill is given to John Dean to receive of the constable tell shilings for kiling a woulfe

[108] men chosen to new marke the line between Dedham and Mendon Cornit Timo Dwight Serg^{t} Richard Elic and Thomas Aldridg the same men are appointed allso to new marke the lines between medfield and dedham and wrentem and dedham

14 1 168$\frac{0}{1}$ At a Generall meeteing it was proposed to the Town whether they would chuse an other select man in the room of Serg^{t} Wight deceased. voated in the afirmitive

it being proposed to the Town whether they will allow twenty two pounds by the year to a lattin schoolmaster whereof seaven pounds shall be mony besides the incom of that 60 pounds given by Docter Avery, it was voated in the afirmitive

the qvestion being put whether the care of prouideing a lattin schoolmaster shall be left to the care of the selectmen. it was voated in the afirmitive

Serg^{t} Richard Elic is chosen select man for this present yeare

Capt Fisher Ensign Fuller and serg^{t} elic make return that they have further treated the Indian Magus and have fully agreed with him for the afore mentioned land for eight pounds (vizt) five pound in mony and thre pound in corne

The qvestion being put how the aboue said payment shall be raised to pay the Indian divers wayes were proposed, and at length they generaly agreed that thre ways which had bin proposed should be put to voate and that which haue most voates they would all sit down by the first way was whether such persons as did disire: to chuse thier propotion in the diuident to be laide out would lay down mony tell the sum be atained A second way was to sell som percills of land to ataine the mony aboue said A third way was to make a rate and gather the mony

These thre wayes were all severaly put to voat: and there was a Generall voate for the seacond (vizt) that there shall be percils of land sould out for the raiseing of the mony

the qvestion being put whether the proprietors will chuse a commetee to sell land for mony not exceedeing ten pounds voated in the afirmitive.

the commetee chosen are Serg^{t} Elic John Bacon and John Fairebank.

the Heiers and Succesers of John Heywerd complaineing that they have not thier ꝑportion of comon medow according to the true intent of the Grant it is by voat declared that those of the cometee yet serviveing shall lay out so much of the brushy medow there: as shall make good to y^{m} what is wanting

The Select men have deputed Nath: Stearns to treat with Capt Hinks-

man his son about keepeing Schooll. as allso to answer the warrant conserneing chuseing a Constable

Men chosen to new mark the line between Dedham and Natack are Serg^{t} Elice: Nathaneel Bulard and Joseph Wight.

We haveing notic from the select men of Watertown to sende men to Joyn with thires: to new mark the bound line between them and vs John Fuller: John Smyth and Benjeman Miles are chosen to attend that servic.

27 2 1681 Asembled after lectur Capt Daniell Fisher Ens Thomas Fuller Deac John Aldus Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath: Stearnes

A bill is given to Thomas Battle to receive of the Constable four pounds and fourten shilings for keepeing Schoolle as allso five shilings and five penc that was due to hime from the Town sinc the time he was Constable

A Bill is given to John Givld to receive of John Pydge late Constable six shilings he being six shilings ouer rated in the yeare 79

[104] A rate made by vertve of a warrant from the tresvrer to defray contry charges refering to our agents expedition for London wherein each inhabetant is asessed at one fourth part of a peny in the Pound as foloweth

Capt Daniell Fisher	0	2	3	Nath: Bulard	0	1	7
Peter woodward	0	2	6	Tho Jordin	0	1	0
John Gay sen^{r}	0	0	10	Samvell Gay	0	1	5
Edw Richards	0	2	8	John Hunting	0	2	1
Nath: Colbvrn sen^{r}	0	3	3	John Euerid	0	1	9
Ensi Tho Fuller	0	2	5	Tho Aldridg	0	1	10
Nath: Whiteing	0	1	9	Michill Metcalfe	0	1	9
Richard Euerid	0	1	8	John Rice senr	0	1	2
Corn^{t} Timothy Dwight	0	3	5	Henry Wilson	0	1	6
Deac John Aldus	0	2	4	Edw Hawes	0	1	8
Nath: Stearnes	0	1	4	Tho Fisher	0	1	4
the estat of Henery Wight	0	3	3	Daniell Fisher	0	1	7
Serg^{t} Richard Elice	0	1	9	John Baker	0	1	8
Serg^{t} Daniell Pond	0	2	8	William Avery	0	1	6
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	0	1	9	Joshva Fisher	0	1	7
Serg^{t} John Fairebanke	0	2	7	Nath; Chickring	0	1	6
John Bacon	0	2	10	Ezra Morse	0	2	6
Robt Were	0	3	1	Nath: Gay	0	1	9
Tho Battle	0	2	5	John Richards	0	1	6
Robt Fuller	0	0	11	Elia Kingsbury	0	1	8
John Pygg	0	1	9	Nath: Kingsbvry	0	1	4
Samvill Guild	0	2	2	John Payn	0	0	10
Tho Herring	0	2	10	Tho Boydin	0	0	1
Samvell Miles	0	1	4	Vidgelenc Fisher	0	0	9
James Thorp	0	1	11	Esther Fisher	0	0	5

Timothy Whiteng	0	0	8	Isaac Chinry	0	0	11
Jonathan Fairebanke	0	2	0	Tho Pain Senr	0	1	10
Jonathan Avery	0	1	3	Amos Fisher	0	0	8
James Draper	0	0	1	John Farrington	0	2	1
Vid Farrington	0	0	3	Beni Miles	0	01	3
Vid Morse	0	0	2	William Dean	0	0	7
Vid Bulard	0	1	3	Samvell Barber	0	0	11
Vid Dvin	0	2	4	James Fale Senr	0	1	9
Vid Heyward	0	1	5	Tho Clap	0	1	3
Vid Westbrook	0	0	4	Nath: Heaton	0	0	9
Ralph Freeman	0	0	11	James Fale jvn^{r}	0	0	8
John Mason	0	0	11	Nath: Farrington	0	0	9
John Fuller	0	1	6	Jona Freeman	0	0	8
Asahell Smyth	0	0	7	Nath: Richards	0	1	4
Samvell Euerid	0	0	10	John Battle	0	1	0
Jona Fuller	0	1	0	Abra Wheeler	0	0	7
John Smyth	0	1	4	Tho Paine jun^{r}	0	1	2
John Eaton	0	1	4	John Gay jun^{r}	0	1	2
John Makintosh	0	0	10	Anthony Handcock	0	0	7
James Makenab	0	0	11	Joseph Wight	0	1	1
James Grant	0	0	10	Daved Freeman	0	0	1
James Makerwethy	0	1	1	Josia Fisher	0	1	0
Nill Mackia	0	0	8	Edw Cook	0	0	5
Robt Auery	0	1	5	Samvell Aldridg	0	0	3
Ralph Day	0	0	11	Nath Were	0	0	6
Nath: Colburn junr	0	1	2	Math Stone	0	0	5
John Colburn	0	1	0	John Thurston sen^{r}	0	0	1
John Dean	0	0	8	John Rice jun^{r}	0	0	7
Jona Metcalfe	0	1	4	Joseph Newbury	0	0	5

[105] 4. 3–1681 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Deacon John Aldus Ensi Tho Fuller serg^{t} Richard Elic Cornit Timothy Dwight Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath: Stearnes

vpon complaint of Henery Wilson that he wants an acre and halfe of measur in hise lott at clapboard trees: there is granted to hime one acre next adioyneing to hise own land neer the new Bridg to be laide out by Cornit Dwight Deacon Aldus and serg^{t} Elic

elder Hunting complaineing that vpon seling some percils of land towards the heard yard: his cartway thether and to those medows is mvch prejudiced: John Baker and Thomas Aldridg are deputed to vew the same and make retvrn to the select men

The select men haveing treated John Makintosh 21. 11. 80 conserning the state of his family and of som inconvenancy and disorder that they vn-

derstood to be in the same: and he then promiseing to put one of hise sones out to seruic by the 1. 1. 80 but no thing that way is yet performed: and vnderstandeing that disorder in the family doe rayther increase. we therefor thinke it meete to dispose of one of hise sones to seruic with Cornit Tim Dwight vpon such terms as we shall hereafter agree vpon. vnles he the s^{d} John makintosh will dispose of hise son to seruic hime selfe: between this and 18 instant which he haue free liberty to doe: and Samvell Guild is desired and deputed to inform John Makintosh of the act of the select men aboue writen

A bill is giuen to Robert Auery to receive of the late constabls thre shilings six penc in or as mony for a payer of tongs for the vse of the schooll

13. 4. 81 Assembled after trayneing Capt Daniell Fisher jnsign Fuller Deacon John Aldus Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

Vpon a motion made by John Gay Senr to exchange part of hise lande lying neer Vid Dewins for other land lying mor remote serg^{t} Richard Ellic and sergt Tho Metcalfe are deputed to view the s^{d} lands and to make retvrn to the select men 20 instant

20—4. 81 Assembled after trayning Capt Daniell Fisher Jnsign Fuller Cornite Dwight Deacon Aldus serg^{t} Ellic serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath. Stearnes

serg^{t} Richard Ellic and serg^{t} Metcalfe make retvrn that they haue viewed the lands next aboue mentioned, but they not giveing any incoriagment that it is like to be benificiall to the town: John Gay is desired to disist his motian at present

26-6-81 assembled to take in the biles for the country rate and prepare for thier shier meeting Capt Daniell Fisher Ensign tho Fuller Cornit Dwight Deacon Aldus serg^{t} ellic serg^{t} metcalfe Nath: Stearnes and serg^{t} Daniell Pond Commisioner

12. 8 81 Assembled Ensign Fuller Serg^{t} Metcalfe Cornit Dwight Nath: Stearnes Deacon Aldus Serg^{t} Ellic

vpon complaint of the schoolmaster that the schoollhouse is cold & vncomfortable for himselfe and scholers Deacon John Aldus is desired and deputed to doe what is necesecery vn on that behalf to be satisfied out of the town rate

11-9-81 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Ensign Fuller Cornit Dwight Deacon Aldus Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} metcalfe Nath: Stearnes to make the country rate

vpon a motion of cornit Timothy Dwight for hime selfe and some otheres to haue liberty to remoue a fenc vpon the Iland not only for conueneancy of streightening the s^{d} fenc but allso for the conveneancy of the way Ensign Tho Fuller and Thomas Aldridg are deputed to vew the s^{d} fenc and to make return to the select men

Nathanell Kingsbury make a motion to take timber of the comon so much as he shall neede for a barne. hise motion is granted

2. 11. 1681. Received for ye year beginning 15. 10. 1678 & ending 15. 10. 1679 of ye Deacon & by his order ye summe of sixty pounds in money or as money By Me William Adams.

[106] A rate made wherein each inhabitant is assesed at 2^d½ per Povnd according to court order and warrant from the tresurer two 5^ths to be paide in mony and thre 5^ths in corn at prise current

Eld John Hunting	0	7	ii	Tho Fisher	0	12	4
Capt Daniell Fisher	0	10	ii	Nath. Chickring	0	14	4
John Gay sen^r	0	8	4	Vidgi Fisher	0	6	10 ½
Edw Richards	1	7	7	Samvill Miles	0	13	4
Nath: Colbrn	1	8	8	Pet Woodward	1	3	4
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	5	6	Daniell Fisher	0	14	0
Nath: Whiteing	0	17	ii	Samvill Guild	0	13	10
Corni Timo Dwight	1	14	4	John Farrington	1	1	4
Dea John Aldus	1	5	6	Nath: Richards	0	8	8
Serg^t Richard Ellic	1	2	8 ½	Nath: Kingsbury	0	13	4
Serg^t Daniell Pond	1	6	8	James Thorp	0	16	3
Serg^t Tho Metcalfe	0	17	1	Josiah Fisher	0	13	2 ½
Serg^t John Fairebanke	1	3	9	John Richards	0	15	7 ½
John Bacon	1	8	6 ½	John Mason	0	ii	4
Vid Esther Fisher	0	3	9	Asahell Smyth	0	7	ii
Andrew Duin	1	2	6	Samvell Euerit	0	8	9
Robt Were	1	12	4	Ralph Freeman	0	9	8
Tho Battle	1	1	3	Jona Fuller	0	13	10
Robt Fuller	0	7	9 ½	Ezra Morse	0	13	10
Tho Herring	1	1	10	Jona Fairbanke	0	17	5
Vid Bullard	0	9	2	Willi Auery	0	ii	6
Nath: Bullard	0	12	7	Joshua Fisher	0	12	3
John Smyth	0	14	4	John Colburn	0	10	0
Tho Aldridg	0	17	ii	Nath: Gay	0	16	9
Samvell Gay	0	12	3 ½	John Dean	0	7	8 ½
John Hunting	0	13	10	Willi Dean	0	5	7 ½
John Pydg	0	16	3	James Fale sen^r	0	14	2
John Euerit	0	15	0	Jona Metcalfe	0	12	6
Tho Paine sen^r	0	18	0	Isaac Chinry	0	14	2
Tho Jordin	0	9	5	John Baker	0	15	0
John Fuller	0	15	7 ½	Vid Heyward	0	12	3 ½
Michill Metcalfe	0	17	0	Samvell Barber	0	9	8 ½
John Rice Senr	0	14	3	Nath Heaton	0	ii	9
Hen Wilson	0	5	10	Amos Fisher	0	5	5
John Eaton	0	14	0	Jona Freeman	0	7	6
Edw Hawes	1	2	8	Elea Kingsbury	0	16	10 ½

Benj Miles	0	ii	8		Joseph Newbury	0	4	2	
Tho Paine jun^{r}	0	6	10	½	Edw Cooke	0	4	9	½
Nath Colburn iun^{r}	0	16	0		John Rice jun^{r}	0	5	11	
Vid Joan Fisher	0	1	0		James Fall jun^{r}	0	7	6	
Vid Morse	0	0	7	½	[107] John Battle	0	5	8	
Vid Westbrooke	0	3	9		Abra Wheeler	0	5	6	
Doc Jona Auery	0	7	0		Samvell Aldridg	0	6	0	½
Richard Pufer	0	13	9		John Fale	0	5	ii	
Joseph Wight	0	ii	3		John Paine	0	8	9	
Vid Wight	0	14	2		Ephrem Willson	0	6	0	½
Jona Wight	0	4	9		Nath: Were	0	4	9	½
Ralph Day	0	9	2		Anthony Hancock	0	4	9	½
John Makintosh	0	13	5		Thomas Clap	0	16	8	
Nath: Farrington	0	8	10		Timothy Whiteing	0	8	5	
Vid Farrington	0	1	6		Matthew Stone	0	4	9	½
Robt Auery	0	12	10		Benj Oinion	0	4	6	
John Fisher	0	5	8		James Macknab	0	8	9	
John Gay	0	ii	0	½	James Makerwethe	0	15	6	
Jona Gay	0	ii	0	½	Nell Mackia	0	9	9	
Daniell Wight	0	4	9	½	James Grant	0	8	6	
Beni Wight	0	4	9	½	Nath: Stearnes	0	12	3	½
Jededia Euerit	0	7	1						

12. 10. 1681 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Ensign Tho Fuller Cor^{t} Timo Dwight Deacon John Aldus Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath: Starnes to make the Town and Schooll rate

Received of Nathanell Kingsbury six shilings and six penc in silver as A full discharge of his part of that one pound five shilings six penc due (from himeselfe and John Pydg late Constables) to the Town the Reur Mr Adams came this day and moued for satisfaction for A way Leadeing to West field: that was laide out through the Lott which was somtime Mr John Newtons: which Lot Mr Adams haue Lately purcsised and further he desir that if the proprietors shall se meete they will please to add some mor comonage to the s^{d} lott: which if they doe he will gratefully Except

Vpon informatlon that John Lettlefielde being at hise own hand: rvn vp and down from place to place mispendeing his time: and by that meanes may not only bring ruin to himeselfe, but also charge and damaige may come to the town thereby, the select men therefor this day sent for hime and haue ordered him to dwell with Thomas Aldridg two thre or four weekes and to be at hise command all that time only he hath liberty (with the consent of his master thomas Aldridg) to prouide himselfe A master that will ingage to larne hime A trade and ThomasAldridg promis to be Assistant to hime therein

This day John Gay Senr renue his motion for that lande which ly remot vpon exchang of other lands lying by Andrew Duin^{s}

Cornit Timo Dwight moues allso for part of that remot lands eayther to take it vp vpon the next diuidant account or otherwise: to lay down so much of other Lands as shall be judged Equiall satisfaction

Thomas Fisher moues for About 6 acres of that land aboue mentioned there being as he saith such A quantity of Land due to hime euer sinc Natick diuident was Laide out vpon some Comon Rights that he had of his Bro Samuell Fisher all which we referr to the generall meeteing Jan next

It is agreed that the Town and Schoole rate shall be raised vpon persons and estates as the Contry rate is

Granted to Tho Battle timber to make 50 posts and 150 rayles of the Town - Comons

26—10—1681 Asembled Cap[t] Fisher Ensi Fuller Cornit Dwight Deacon Aldus Serg[t] Ellic Serg[t] Metcalfe Nath: Stearns

Defects in high way worke are as foloweth

	lb	s			lb		
Ralph Day	0	2	0	John Baker	0	×6	0
Ralph Freeman	0	0	×	Nath: Hawes	0	4	
Tho Paine jun[r]	0	0	×	Vid Heyward	0	4	
Jona Metcalfe	0	×0		Matthew Ston	0	×0	

The Schoolmaster complaineing that there want Seates for the children and A table Deacon Aldus is desired and deputed to doe what is necesery in that respect.

(108) A rate made to defray town charges at one peny per pound as deputyes charge &c. as allso the one halfe of the School rate and the re. mainder of the Schoolle rate is raised vpon the childrin as is here inserted. the wholl is to be paide two fifths in mony and thre fifths in corne at prise current according to town order

	lb	s	d				lb	s	d		
Eld John Hunting	0	3	2			Vid Esther Fisher	0	1	6		
Cap[t] Danell Fisher	0	4	4			Andr Dvin	0	9	0		
John Gay Sen[r]	0	3	4			Rob[t] Wear	0	12	11		
Edw Richards	0	11	0			Tho Battle	0	8	6	5	6
Nath Colburn sen[r]		11	7			Rob[t] Fuller	0	3	1	5	6
Ensi Tho Fuller	0	10	2			Tho Herring	0	8	9	5	6
Nath Whiteing,	0	7	2			Vid Bulard	0	3	8	5	6
Cor[t] Timo Dwight	0	14	6	8	3	Nath Bulard	0	5	9		
Dea John Aldis	0	10	2			John Smyth	0	5	8		
Serg[t] Richard Ellic	0	9	1			Tho Aldridg	0	7	2		
Serg[t] Dani Pond	0	12	4	11	0	Samuell Gay		4	11	5	6
Serg[t] Tho Metcalfe	0	6	10	11	0	John Pydg	0	6	6		
Serg[t] John Fairbank		9	6			John Euerit	0	6	0	5	6
John Bacon	0	11	5			Tho Paine Sen[r]	0	7	2		

Tho Jordin	0	3	9		
John Fuller	0	6	3		
Michill Metcalfe	0	6	9	11	0
John Rice Sen[r]	0	5	8		
Henry Wilson	0	2	4		
John Eaton	0	5	9	11	0
Edw Hawes	0	9	1		
Tho Fisher	0	4	11		
Nath: Chickring	0	5	9		
Vidgelenc Fisher	0	2	9		
Samv Miles	0	5	4		
Peter Woodward	0	10	1	11	0
Dan Fisher	0	5	7		
Samv Givld	0	5	6		
John Farrington	0	8	4		
Nath: Richards	0	4	3		
James Thorp	0	6	9	5	6
Josia Fisher	0	5	8	5	6
John Richards	0	6	3	5	6
John Mason	0	4	6		
Nath Kingsbury	0	5	4	5	6
Asahell Smyth	0	3	0	5	6
Samvell Euerit	0	3	6		
Ralph Freeman	0	3	10	1	6
Jona Fuller	0	5	4		
Ezra Morse	0	5	6	13	9
Jona Fairebake	0	5	10	5	6
Willi Auery	0	4	7		
Joshua Fisher	0	6	10	5	6
John Colburn	0	4	0	5	6
John Dean	0	2	6		
Willi Dean	0	2	3		
James Falle Sen[r]	0	5	8		
Jona Metcalfe	0	5	0	5	6
Isaac Chinery	0	5	8	5	6
John Baker	0	6	0	5	6
Vid Heyward	0	4	11		
Samv Barber	0	3	10		
Nath Heaton	0	4	8	5	6
Amos Fisher	0	2	0		
Jona Freeman	0	3	0		
Elea Kingsbury	0	6	9		
Benj Mils	0	4	8	5	6
Tho Paine jun[r]	0	2	9		
Nath: Colburn	0	6	4	5	6
Vid Joan Fisher	0	0	5	1	4
Vid Morse	0	0	3		
Vid Westbrook	0	1	6		
Doct Jona Auery	0	2	9		
Richard Pufer	0	5	6		
Joseph Wight	0	4	6		
Vid Wight	0	5	8		
Jona Wight	0	1	11		
Ralph Day	0	3	8		
John Mackintosh	0	5	4		
Nath: Farrington	0	3	6		
Vid Farrington	0	0	7	5	6
Rob[t] Auery	0	5	1		
John Fisher	0	3	3		
John Gay jun[r]	0	4	5		
Jona Gay	0	4	5		
Daniell Wight	0	1	11		
Benj Wight	0	1	11		
Jededi Euerit	0	2	10		
Joseph Newbury	0	1	8		
Edw Cooke	0	1	11		
John Rice jun[r]	0	2	4		
John Battle	0	2	3		
[109] Nath Gay	0	6	8	11	0
John Hunting		5	6	11	0
Abra Wheeler	0	2	2		
Samv Aldridg	0	2	5		
John Fale	0	2	4		
John Paine	0	3	6		
Ephrim Willson		2	5		
Antho Handcock	0	1	11		
Timo Whiteing	0	3	4		
Matthew Stone	0	1	11		
Benj Oinion	0	1	9		
James Makinab	0	3	6		
James Mackerwethy		4	6	5	6
Nill Makiah	0	3	11		
James Grant	0	3	4	5	6
Nath: Wear	0	1	11		
James Falle iun[r]	0	3	0		
Tho Clap	0	6	8	5	6
Nath: Stearnes	0	4	11		

This day John Lettlefield informs that he is about to put himeselfe an apprentice to A taylor at Boston and desirs aduise and concuirenc therein. the select men therefor desire and impour serg^{t} Ellice to assist s^{d} John that he may make such A Couenant as may not be to his prejuduce

we haveing received diuers complaints of the miscarriage of Boyes in the meeteing house in times of publique worship Ezra Morse and John Dean are desired to inspect them and in case any of them be refrectory the said Ezara or John are desired and impowred to bring them before the Select men to be delt with accordeing to Law

Deacon John Aldis and Serg^{t} Richard Ellic being formerly appointed to vew a percill of Lande desired by Thomas Herring for recompenc for A way through his Lott Leadeing to Ezra Morse his mill: the s^{d} Deacon Aldis and Serg^{t} Ellic are further impowred to lay out so much of that Land desired as may satisfy Thomas Herring for the saide way prouided it exceede not four acres

	£	s	d
reaconed with Serg^{t} Daniell Pond and William Auery Late Constables and there remain due to the Town vpon the balanc of accounts Seaven pound	7	0	0

Ensign Fuller Serg^{t} Ellic and Serg^{t} Pond are apoynted A Commetee to reacon with John Baker vpon the account of the rates comited to Serg^{t} Wight and himeselfe

A bill is given to William Auery to receive of the Constable ten Shilings for kiling A woulf

A bill is given to Ensi Tho Fuller to receive of the constable ten Shilings for kiling A wolfe

A bill is given to Cor^{t} Timo Dwight to receive of the Constable ten Shilings for new markeing the bound Lines betwen Dedham and Meadfield and between Dedham and Mendon and Wrentham

A Bill is given to Serg^{t} Richard Ellic 10^{s} ditto and to Thomas Aldridg 10^{s} ditto

A bill is given to Nath: Kingsbury to receive of the Constable 2^{lb}—10^{s} for ringeing the bell and Sweepeing the meeteing house

A Bill is giuen to Deacon John Aldis to receive of the Constable 2^{lb}—10^{s} for his seruic at Generall Court whereof 1^{lb}—10^{s} is mony for his expences there and 1^{lb} in country pay for his time

A Bill is given to Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of the Constable seaven pounds: four pounds in mony for his charges whille attending the generall court and 3^{lb} in country pay for his salery.

A Bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher to receive ot the Constable 3^{lb} in rate pay for entertainment of the inhabitants thre generall meeteings for select mens dyet &c. To be proposed to the Town at the Generall meeteing

1 about placeing women and childrin in the meeteing house

2 Whether the inhabitants will indeuour to procuer A flock of Sheepe in to the Town

3 Whether the Town will prosecut that order conserneing inmates and seruents or repealle it

[110] 2. 11. 1681. Received for ye year beginning 15. 10. 1679 & ending 15. 10. 1680 of the Deacon & by his Order ye sume of Sixty pounds in money or as money

by Me William Adams.

proposition whether the Town will Judg it necesecary that all deedes of Lands to our Town: from indians or otheres as allso all Arbetrations or Awards between our town and other Towns or perticuler persons be called for and delivered to the select men now to be Chosen or to some other whome the Town shall betrust and that they may be entered in to the Booke of records that they may be known to after Generations

att A Generall meeteing of the inhabitants 2—ii—1681

the Acts of the Select men the yeare past were read and excepted and then there was pposed to the Town first about seateing women and Boyes in the meeteing house to which the Town answer: that they doe Leave that to the Care of the Select men now to be Chosen

Seacondly it was pposed whether the inhabitants would indevour to pcure A flock of sheep in to towne to which they Answer that they will take in to consideration vntill the generall meeteing in March next

thirdly it was pposed whether the Town would prosecut the order conserning inmates and Seruants or repeale it. to which the Town answer that they will have it psecuted

fourthly the Town by vote declare that all deeds of Lands to our Town from jndian or others and allso all Arbetrations and Awards between our Town and other Townes: and between our Town and perticuler persons shall be called in and delivered to the Select men now to be chosen: that they may Eayther be transcribed into the Booke of records or otherwise secured that they may be known to after generations

the motion made by the Reu^d Mr Adams for adding mor commonage to his Lott is Left to consideration vntell the meeteing in march next

the motion of Thomas Fisher to take vp 6 acres of Land vpon the account of two commons given hime by his Brother Samvell Fisher is Left to the Select men now to be chosen: to Satisfy hime

the motion of John Gay Senr and Cornit Timo Dwight conserneing takeing vp land is Left to consideration tell the Generall meeteing in march next

The pportioning our Reu^d Pastor his Salery is left to the Select men now to be chosen

Elections are as foloweth Nathanell Stearnes is Chosen Town Recorder and to be one of the Select men

Capt Daniell Fisher Ensi Thomas Fuller Dea John Alldis Serg^{t} Daniell Pond Serg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe and John Bacon are Chosen Select men

Nathanell Colburn James Thorp Nathanell Bullard Thomas Aldridg Sirveyers

Ezra Morse have free Liberty granted him to make A Dammn vpon the Town Land to raise A pond for A reserue of water for his saw mill

Ralph Freeman make A motion for A narow slipe of Land Lying between James Mackerwethy and himselfe Serg^{t} Metcalfe and Samvell Giuld are deputed to vew the same and make return to the Select men who may act therein as they se cause

This day the propryetors by voat declared that they would chuse A Commetee of thre men to serch out and take notic of: what Land there is yet with in the Bounds of our Town Towards Sudbury Meadfield or Netick that may be thout fitt for improvment: and make return at the generall meeteing in march next or at the first opertunity. the men Chosen are Ensi Tho Fuller Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Nath: Bullard

[111] 16. 11. 1681 Assembled Capt fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Pond, Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

A Bill is given to John Fuller of two shilings six penc for new markeing the line between Watertown and Dedham

Ensi Tho Fuller Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Serg^{t} Daniell Pond make return that they have reconed with John Baker Constable in the yeare 76 and they finde due to the Town

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Granted to Thomas Battle as much pine or chesnut Timber of the Town Commons as will make 12 or 15 100 of Board to vse about his house and Barne

A Bill is giuen to John Euerit to receive of the Constable ten shilings in money and country pay for 200 of clapboards for the Schoolhouse

Ensign Tho Fuller Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Thomas Battle are desired and deputed to repayer to those two percils of Lande which were Last Granted to John Rice by the mill brooke and vew the Saide Lande and take notice of the quantytie and the abutments and make return to the Select men at the first opertvnitie

Peter Woodward Senr and Nath: Stearnes are desired and deputed to repayer to the house of John Makintosh and vew that thre acres of Land Granted hime to set A house vpon and take notic of the abutments and make return to the Select men at the first opertunity

Agreed with Serg^{t} Daniell Pond to make the two Last seates rvn the north Side of the meeteing house into thre forthwith for Boyes to Sit in

23: ii 1681 Asembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deac Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

Joseph Damand of Reding A Tanner: make a motion to haue Liberty

to come and dwell in Town and practic the trade of A tanner

A Bill is given to Benj Miles to receive of the Constable one pound ten Shilings for killing thre woulves

A Bill is given to Benj miles to receive of the Constable two Shillings for new markeing the line between Watertown and Dedham

A Bill is giuen to Amos Fisher to receive of the Constable two shillings and thre penc for killing nine hawkes

Granted to John Battle Timber of the Town Commons to make A frame for a barne and timber for board to inclose and couer it as much as is necesecery

Granted to Samuell Barber timber vpon the Town Commons as much as will make 300 railles and posts propotionable

Granted to Nath Chickring timber of the Town common for Board to finish his Barn

Ensign Fuller have liberty to take timber of the Town commons for the End of A barne and for board to finish it

Serg^{t} Ellic have liberty to take Timber of the Town Commons for a shop and for Board to finish it

Granted to Daniell Fisher timber vpon the Town Commons to make Boards to Finish his house

John Pydg have Liberty to take timber vpon the Town commons for A leanto and to make boards for his necesecery vse

16: 11: 81 this day was publique notic given by posteing A paper that all deeds of Land and other writings of consernm^{t} to the town Should be brought in to the Select men at their nex meeting and that Such as haue Seruants from out of town would then appear

[112] Granted to John Dean Timber vpon the Town Commons for A frame for A Hous and to make Board for the finishing of it

Capt Fisher hath liberty to take timber of the Commons for two or thre hundered rayles and posts propotionable and for boards to finish his house and barne

Granted to Deacon Alldis timber vpon the Town commons for 150 raylles and posts proportionable

This day were brought in to the Select men Seuerall deeds of Land^{e} from indians: by Capt Fisher and cornit Dwight with som other writeings: of Consernment which were forthwith delivered to Deac John Alldis to keepe Safely in A box vizt Seaven deeds from jndians that is four conserneing pecumpetuck one from Philip one from Nehoidin one from Magus and an award between John Dwight and the Town and A paper conteineing an agreement between Dorchester and Dedham conserneing theire bounds: and A receit from Philip

The Select men takeing notic of a Town order conserneing inmates and Seruants as allso the Town declareing by theire vote 2: 11–81 that they

would have that order psecuted. did therefor give notic to such of the inhabitants as have such Seruants and inmates: to come to them this day: which accordingly diverse persons did: and we have attended them and heard each of theire answers and alegations: and some of them we finde have attended the order: and some we judg there is reason to alow: and some to requier bond of: or otherwis as the order dirict: as is hereafter declared.

24: 11: 1681 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

Ralph Freeman make a motion for a svply of wood for the fire: allso for as much timber of the Commons as will make 150 rayles and posts proportionable. his motion is granted

Doct Jonathan Auery give notice that he have an negro in his famely for whome it is agreed he shall giue ten pound bands and for his maide, he hath Liberty to keepe her: prouided he clear the town of her within a yeare vnles he have fvrther order

William Dean giue notic that he have a girll in his famely for whom it is agreed he shall give five pound band

John Smyth informeing that he have an jndian boy and an English girll in his famelie: it is agreed that he shall give twenty pound band for the jndian and twenty pound band for the girll if he keepe her

Edward Richards informeing that he have a man Seruant an aprentic it is agreed that he shall give twenty pound band vnles he make it appeare that he gave notic to one or mor of the Select men according to Town order

Michill Metcalfe informeing that he have a boy from Boston he is alowed to keepe the s^{d} boy provided he cleare the Town of hime within four years vnles he have further order

Elea Kingsbury informes that he have a boy in his famely: and he makes it appeare that he attended the order: by giveing notic to one or mor of the Select men: vpon which account he is alowed to keepe hime

John Pydg informeing that he had A boy and A girll which he tooke as his own and that the boy is with Will Auery and the girll with himeself they are both allowed .

Peter Woodward haveing A Negro boy in his famely it is agreed that he Shall give twenty pound band for the Towns securitie or other wise as the Town order in that Case direct

John Farrington haveing an indian Boy in his familie it is agreed y^{t} he shall give twenty pound band for the Towns Securytie or otherwis as the Town order in that case direct

Jona Metcalfe haveing A girll in his familie he is allowed to keepe her prouided he cleare the Town of her within four or five yeare vnles he haue further order

Tho Battle haveing A boy and A girll in his familie and haveing at-

tended the order by giveing notic to one of the Select men vpon that account he is allowed to keepe them

[118] Robert Auery informeing that he have A Lad Tho Boilson by name: the Select men alowes it not at present but shall further consider of it and if there be just cavse He may repaire to the Select men for there approbation

Josia fisher haveing two boyes in his family Jabish fairebanke and John Gibson he is alowed to keepe Jabish prouided he cleare the Town of hime within four year and for John Gibson it is agreed that he shall give five pound band to secuer the Town

Daniell Fisher haveing A girll in his family it is agreed that he shall giue five pounds band for the Securitie of the town

Robert Fuller haveing two Grand childrin with him Saith that the boy is to be put out to A trade when he ataine to the age of 15 yeares and the girll is to be with hime dureing the naterall life of himeselfe and wife and that he intends to give them that portion which theire mother Should have had if She had lived where vpon they are alowed

Nath Chickring have A boy in his famely and did orderly informe one Select man: he is therevpon alowed to keepe hime

John Hunting haveing a girll of John Lettlfieldes and he entertaineing her without and contrary to the consent of the Select men: we doe agree that he Shall give band^{e} for the Securitie of the town: but for the sum wherein he Shall be bound^{e} we Leaue to further considerations for some reasons moueing vs therevnto

Samvell Euerit hath Liberty to keepe that girll he hath pvided he cleares the Town of her within two yeares vnless he hath further order

Joshua Fisher haveing A maide seruant from out of Town it is agreed that he shall give ten pound band for the Towns securitie

it is agreed that Tho Paine iun^{r} Shall give five pound band for the Towns Securitie referring to his Boy that he keepe contrary to Town order

Capt Daniell Fisher haveing A boy from out of towne and attending the Town order as is testyfyed to the Select men: he is alowed to keepe hime

it is agreed that Ensi Tho Fuller Shall give in twenty pound band^{e} to secure the Town referring to A Negro boy that he have

this day Ensign Fuller return the bill he had from the Select men dated 2: 10: 81 to receive of John Bacon and John Euerit late Constabls thre pounds nine penc in mony whereof 1^{lb} 18^{s} 9^{d} is protested and Ensi Fuller received of John Bacon only 1^{lb} 2^{s} 1^{lb} 2^{s} 0

Joseph Damond of Reding a Taner moues that he may have Liberty to come and dwell in Town and practic Tanning here: which is left to consideration: and in mean whille Ensi Fuller and Serg^{t} Metcalfe are desired to inquier Conserneing the young man:

Vpon information that such persons as are not proprietors doe take of

the best wood they can finde for fire wood: and that some doe make strip and wast there of vpon the Commons: to the greefe and desplesure of the ꝑprietors: it is therefor ordered that henceforth no non ꝑprietor shall fell or cause to be felled any wood for the fire or otherwise vpon the Commons: without leave first had and obtained from the Select men for the time being from time to time: vpon the penalty of one Shilling for euery single Loade so felled: and it is further ordered that non of our inhabitants shall sell any wood of the Commons Eayther by the Loade or otherwise vpon the like penalty

Cornit Dwight and Serg^{t} Ellic being chosen a Commetee to appointe the place in the high way for William Auerys shop: doe make their return. that they have so done and that ye Shop now stand vpon the place which they appointed

[114] 30: 11: 1681 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Sergt Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes to propotion the rev^{d} Paster his salery the year begining 15th of December 1681 which is as foloweth

	£	s	d				
				John Pydg	0	15	0
Capt Daniell Fisher	0	13	0	John Euerit	0	13	0
John Gay	0	10	0	Tho Payn Senr	0	14	4
Edw Richards	1	10	0	Tho Jordin	0	6	0
Nath Colburn Sen	1	8	0	John Fuller	0	13	0
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	5	8	Michill Metcalfe	0	14	0
Nath Whiteing	0	15	0	John Rice Senr	0	11	4
Cor^{t} Tim Dwight	2	0	0	Henry Willson	0	5	0
Dea John Alldis	1	1	0	John Eaton	0	11	6
Serg^{t} Richard Ellic	1	0	1	Edw Hawes	1	0	0
Serg^{t} Pond	1	10	0	Tho Fisher	0	11	0
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	1	0	0	Nath Chickring	0	11	6
Serg^{t} John fairbank	0	19	0	Vidgi Fisher	0	5	6
John Bacon	1	4	0	Samvill Mills	0	10	8
Vid Esther Fisher	0	3	0	Pet Woodward	1	6	0
Vid Dvin	0	19	0	Daniell Fisher	0	12	0
Robt Ware	1	10	0	Samvell Givld	0	14	0
Tho Battle	0	18	0	John Farrington	0	18	0
Robt Fuller	0	10	0	James Thorp	0	13	0
Tho Herring	0	17	6	Nath: Richards	0	11	0
Vid Heyward	0	11	0	Josia Fisher	0	10	0
Nath Bullard	0	13	0	John Richards	0	14	0
John Smyth	0	11	4	John Mason	0	8	0
Tho Aldridg	0	19	0	Nath Kingsbiery	0	12	0
Samvell Gay	0	11	0	Ashell Smyth	0	7	0

Samvell Euerit	0	7	0	Nath Farrington	0	8	0
Ralph Freeman	0	7	0	Vid Farrington	0	3	0
Jona Fuller	0	12	0	Robt Auery	0	13	0
Ezra Mors	0	14	0	John Fisher	0	7	0
Jona Fairbank	0	15	0	John Gay	0	10	0
Willi Auery	0	15	0	Jona Gay	0	10	0
Joshva Fisher	0	16	0	Daniell Wight	0	4	6
John Colbvrn	0	10	0	Benj Wight	0	4	6
John Dean	0	6	0	[115] Jededia Euerit	0	2	0
William Dean	0	5	0	Edw Cooke	0	4	0
James Falle Senr	0	4	0	John Rice ivnr	0	5	0
Jona Metcalfe	0	10	0	John Battle	0	6	0
Isaac Chinery	0	4	0	Nath: Gay	0	16	0
John Baker	0	13	0	John Hvnting	0	12	0
Vid Heyward	0	6	0	Abra Wheeler	0	5	0
Samvill Barber	0	7	0	Samv Aldridg	0	5	0
Nath Heaton	0	7	0	John Falle	0	1	6
Amos Fisher	0	8	0	John Paine	0	7	0
Jona Freeman	0	6	0	Ephrem Willson	0	5	0
Elea Kingsbiery	0	15	0	Anthony Hancock	0	3	10
Beni Miles	0	10	0	Tho Clap	0	4	6
Tho Pain junr	0	5	6	Timo Whiting	0	7	0
Nath Colburn junr	0	12	0	Matthew Stone	0	5	0
Vid Joan Fisher	0	2	0	Benj oinion	0	5	0
Vid Morse	0	2	0	James Macknab	0	6	0
Vid Westbrooke	0	3	0	James Mackerwethy	0	7	0
Doct Jona Auery	0	8	0	Nell Mackia	0	7	10
Richd Puffer	0	11	0	James Grant	0	7	0
Joseph Wight	0	11	0	Nath: Ware	0	3	10
Vid Wight	0	11	4	James Falle junr	0	6	0
Ralph Day	0	10	0	Nath: Stearnes	0	12	0
John Makintosh	0	9	0				

Richard Euerit have Liberty to take timber of the Town Commons for board to repaier his house and barn so much as is necesecery

John Gay Senr have Liberty to take Timber of the Town Commons for 150 rayles and posts proportionable

Edward Hawes have Liberty to take timber vpon the Town Commons for a frame for his son and two or thre pine trees to make boards for the finishing of it

Robt Avery have Liberty to take Timber of the Town Commons for 50 or 60 posts to repaire his Fenc

Samvell Gay have Liberty to take Timber of the Town Commons for 150 raylles and posts pportionabl

Tho Fisher have Liberty to take Timber of the Town Commons for 200 raylles and post pportionable

A Bill is given to Mr Richard Hinksman to receive of the Constable fiveten pounds out of the Town rate as part of his Sallery for Keepeing Schoolle

22: 12: 81: John Lettlefielde comeing this day to the Selectmen and informeing that he is destetut of a place of abode we doe therefor desire and impower Nath: Bullard to put hime out an apprentic (with the Consent of s^{d} John) to Mr Ricks of Boston a Taylor: if it may be: and if not: then to Mr Lowell a Cooper.

1: 1: 16$\frac{8}{9}\frac{1}{2}$ Assembled Ensign Fuller Deac John Aldis Serg^{t} Pond John Bacon and Nath Stearnes

men appointed to burn the woodes for the midle plaine and Smooth plaine Henery Willson and Thomas Fisher: for the East Street Samuell Euerit for the jland Andrew Duin

men appointed to vew Fences, for the East End of the Towne to the Elderes Lane and so down to the river Nathanell Colburn Senr and Serg^{t} Richard Ellic, for the west End of the Town to the aforesaid Lane John Gay Senr and Thomas Battle. for the Schoollground the great plaine and the fields about Samuell Milles Cornit Timo Dwight John Bacon and Thomas fisher. for Ralph Dayes ground. andrew Duins and those fieldes theire abouts. Nath Chickering & Andrew Duin for the the South plaine and South hill Samuell Gay and Joshua fisher for neponsit: purgetory plaine and Edward Haweses fielde John Farrington and Jonathan Fuller: for the low plaine and those fieldes thereabouts Samuell Guild and Jona Metcalfe [116] for Roxbiery plaine Thomas Herring and John Colburn for Pond plaine John Richards and Joseph Wight: for burch plaine and the fielde by it Nath Richards and John Smyth

Granted to Tho Paine Senr Timber vpon the Town Commones to make so many posts and raylles as is necesecery to repaire his fences and to John Paine firewood for his necesecery vse

Nathanell Colburn Senr is Chosen Sealer for the yeare Ensueing

Granted to Joshua Fisher Timber vpon the Town Commons for 100 rayles and posts proportionabl and to John Farrington posts and rayles to repaier his fences about his home Lot as much as is necesecery

Granted to Daniell Wight timber vpon the Commons for 100 rayles and posts proportionable

14: 1: $\frac{8}{9}\frac{1}{2}$ at a Generall meeteing of the proprietors it was put to voate whether they judged it to be A legall meeteing so as that the proprietors may act in anything of consernment to themselues: voted in the afirmitive

it being put to the inhabitants whether they will choose a moderator for this present meeteing voted in the afirmitive

Capt Daniell Fisher is Chosen moderator for this present day

the qvestion being put whether the proprietors and inhabitants will by some meanes procure som Cow commons (of one or other of the proprietors that are wiling to part with them) for our R[d] Paster to accommadat his lot lately purchicsed by hime

in answer wherevnto the Town have Chosen Cornit Timo Dwight Deacon John Alldis Rob[t] Ware and Tho Battle to inqvier Where there is any Common rights to be purchised: and at what rates: as allso to se what Euery man will be willing to doe towards the purchicing of them or what Els they shall judg necesecary refferring therevnto, and make theire return the first oportvnity.

this day the Committee formerly chosen to vew and take notic of what Lands there is yet fitt for improuement towards Meadfield natick &c doe make theire return that they have found within the Compas of those Lands allready improued: as they judg so much lande as will amount to one acre for a Cow common or thereabouts

it was voted by the proprietors that there shall be a deuidant of Land Laide out of one acre to a Cow Comon and so Laide out that as neer as may be Each mans Lott may be Equiall in worth with otheres: at the discretion of the commetee that are or shall be chosen

the question being put whether in this deuidant all persons concerned shall be accommodated for place and conuenyency (as much as may be: so as all may have Equiall benefit thereby) as allso this commetee are impowred to Grant some other Lands that may be desired: that are wast Lands. and provided it be not to too much damiage to the Town voted in the afirmitive The Comitee chosen are Ensi Tho Fuller Serg[t] Richard Ellic and Nathanell Bullard

Itt was further declared by the vote of proprietors that they will have this work perficted by the 1. of the. 11: 1682.

John Fairebanke have liberty to take timber vpon the Town Commons for 200 railles and posts proportionable

29. 1. 82 Assembled after lectur Deacon Aldis Serg[t] Pond Serg[t] Metcalfe & John Bacon

We haueing notis from the Select men of Dorchister to appoint men to new marke the line between Dorchester and Dedham We have acordingly deputed Serg[t] Ellic Serg[t] Metcalfe and John Euerit to Joyn with those men they have appointed to attend that Seruic

[117] Serg[t] Ellic Nathanell Bullard and John Fuller are deputed to run the line between Dedham and Natick

ii: 2: 82 Assembled Cap[t] Fisher Serg[t] Pond Ensign Fuller Serg[t] Metcalfe Deacon Alldis and Nath: Stearnes to make the halfe Country rate for the Supply of our Agents in their Expedetion for England

Joshva Fisher hath Liberty to make vse of two pine trees for himeselfe which are allready felled att purgetory Swamp

Deacon Alldis have Liberty to take two pine trees which are allready felled at purgetory Swamp for his neceseery vse

A bill is given to Mr Hincksman Schoolmaster to receive of John Fuller and Samvell Giuld late Constables Seaven poundes in mony out of the Schoolle rate as part of his Salerie

13: 2: 82 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

The Constables haveing received a warrant from the tresurer to pcure and to carry in to Boston weights (at the Townes charge according to Law) there to be tryed and to be Standards for the Towne

Ensi Tho Fuller is desired and deputed to buy the afore Saide weights at the Townes Charge

A Bill is given to Ensi Tho Fuller to receiue of John Fuller and Samuell Giuld late Constables one pound ten Shillings in money to purchase the aboue Saide weights

26: 2: 82 Assembled after Lectur Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Ponde Serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath: Stearnes

Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Nath: Bullard and John Fuller being formerly deputed to new marke the Line between Dedham and Natick and they haveing attended the same: but not perfitted it: by reason of the weather being fowle as allso they and the Indians not agreeing vpon the Line. we have therefor thout it necesecery to Sende more men forthwith: least the neglect thereof Should prove prejudutiall to the Towne and acordingly we have desired and deputed Ensi Fuller and Nath: Colburn Senr if themselves can attende it and if not then theire Sones and Serg^{t} Ellic Tho Battle Serg^{t} Pond Thomas Aldridg and Andrew Dewin to repaire to the aforesaide line vpon the 28 jnstant and to perfict that worke

16: 3. 1682 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Sergt Pond John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

Ensi Thomas Fuller make retvrn that he have procured a set of weights according to law, some of which weights were left in his hands they not being exact acording as ye law dirict

This day were delivered to Nath: Colburn sealer these weights folowing vizt one four pound, one two pound, one pound, one halfe pound, one quarter, one two ounc, one ounc, one halfe ounc.

Ensi Tho Fuller is desired and impowered to let out the meadow that ly in our bounds neer Mendon according to his own discresion

[118] A rate made for the necesecary Suply of our agents in their present Expedition for England amounting to halfe a single rate in mony according to an act of the Generall Court: and a warrant received from the Tresurer and the remainder to be for the vse of the Town

	£	s	d
Elder John Hunting	0	1	7
Capt Dan Fisher	0	2	2
John Gay Senr	0	1	8
Edw Richards	0	5	6
Nath: Colburn Senr	0	5	9½
Ensi Thos Fuller	0	5	1
Nath Whiteing	0	3	7
Corn^{t} Timo Dwight	0	7	3
Deac John Alldis	0	5	1
Nath: Stearnes	0	2	5½
Serg^{t} Richard Ellic	0	4	6½
Serg^{t} Daniell Pond	0	6	2
Serg^{t} Thos Metcalfe	0	3	5
Serg^{t} John Fairebank	0	4	9
John Bacon	0	5	8½
Esther Fisher	0	0	9
Vid Duin	0	4	6
Robt Ware	0	6	5½
Thos Battle	0	4	3
Robt Fuller	0	1	6½
Tho Herring	0	4	4½
Vid Bullard	0	1	10
Nath: Bullard	0	2	10½
John Smyth	0	2	10
Thos Aldridg	0	3	6
Samvell Gay	0	3	5½
John Pygg	0	3	3
John Euerit	0	3	0
Thos Paine Senr	0	3	7
Thos Jordin	0	1	10½
John Fuller	0	3	1½
Michill Metcalfe	0	3	4½
John Rice ^{Sen}	0	2	10
Henry Willson	0	1	2
John Eaton	0	2	10½
Edw Hawes	0	4	6½
Thos Fisher	0	2	5½
Nath: Chickring	0	2	10½
Vigi Fisher	0	1	4½
Samv Miles	0	2	8
Pet Woodward	0	5	0½
Dan Fisher	0	2	9½
Samv Guild	0	2	9
John Farrington	0	4	2
Nath: Richards	0	2	1½
James Thorp	0	3	4½
Josia Fisher	0	2	7½
John Richards	0	3	1½
John Mason	0	2	3
Nath Kingsbury	0	2	8
Ashell Smyth	0	1	6
Samv Euerit	0	1	9
Ralph Freeman	0	1	11
Jona Fuller	0	2	8
Ezra Morse	0	2	9
Jona Fairbanke	0	2	11
Doct Jona Auery	0	1	4 ½
Willi Auery	0	2	3 ½
Joshva Fisher	0	3	5
Nath: Colburn ivn^{r}	0	3	2
John Colburn	0	2	0
John Dean	0	1	3
Willi Dean	0	1	1 ½
James Falle Senr	0	2	10
Jona Metcalfe	0	2	6
Isaac Chinery	0	2	10
John Baker	0	3	0
Vid Heyward	0	2	5 ½
Samvel Barber	0	1	11
Nath: Heaton	0	2	4
Amos Fisher	0	1	0
Jona Freeman	0	1	6
Elea Kingsbury	0	3	4 ½
Benj Milles	0	2	4
Tho Paine jvn^{o}	0	1	4 ½
Vid Joan Fisher	0	0	2 ½
Vid Morse	0	0	1 ½
Vid Westbrooke	0	0	9
Richard Puffer	0	2	9
Joseph Wight	0	2	3
Vid Wight	0	2	10
Dani Wight	0	0	11 ½
Benj Wight	0	0	11 ½
Jona Wight	0	0	11 ½
Ralph Day	0	1	10

John Makintosh	0	2	8	John Falle	0	1	2
Nath: Farrington	0	1	9	John Paine	0	1	9
Vid Farrington	0	0	3 ½	Ephrem Willson	0	1	2 ½
Robt Auery	0	2	6 ½	Thos Clap	0	3	4
John Fisher	0	1	7 ½	Antho Handcock	0	0	11 ½
John Gay junr	0	2	2 ½	Timo Whiting	0	1	8
Jona Gay	0	2	2 ½	John Hunting	0	2	9
Jededia Euerit	0	1	5	Matthew Ston	0	0	11 ½
Joseph Newbiery	0	0	10	Benj Oinion	0	0	10 ½
Edw Cook	0	0	11 ½	James Makanab	0	1	9
John Rice jvnr	0	1	2	James Makerwethy	0	2	3
[119] Nath Gay	0	03	4	Nill Makia	0	1	11 ½
John Battle	0	1	1 ½	James Grant	0	1	8
Abra Wheeler	0	1	1	Nath: Ware	0	0	11 ½
Samvell Aldridge	0	1	2 ½	James Falle jvnr	0	1	6

19: 4 82 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Aldus Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes

Vpon information that there are Seuerall jndianes resideing in our Town to the offenc and damiage of Some of our inhabitants: A warrant is sent to the Constable to warne them to remoue them selves to puncapogue Natick or wemeset acording to law

Benjeman Milles haveing A seruant maide that the Select men alow him not to Keepe: doe give notic to hime to put her away: which he ingage forthwith to doe

19 of July 82 after Lectur Tything men were chosen by the inhabitants who are as foloweth Nath: Colburn Senr, Cornit Timo Dwight, Robart Ware, John Bacon, Thos Battle: Sergt John Fairebank: and James Thorp.

this day Capt Fisher is by the Select men deputed to answer the ꝑ Sentment of the Town for want of tything men

20th nouemb 82 Assembled Capt Fisher Dea Aldus Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe John Bacon Nath Stearnes

to make the Country rate: and to prepare the wast Lands to be Assessed according to law

this day there were men appointed to inquier of each person what qvantitie of wast Land they have in towne and make return to the Select men Ensi Fuller and Eleazer Kingsberie for the jland: for the midle plaine Deacon Alldis and John Bacon, for the Smooth plaine Nath: Bullard and Thos Battle, for the North End of the East Streete Sergt Ellic and Samvell Guild, for the South End of the East Street Sergt Metcalfe and James Thorp

John Bacon hath Liberty to take timber vpon the Commons for A frame of A House for his son John

Samvell Giulde hath Liberty to take Timber vpon the Commons for A frame to adjoyne to his dwelling House

28 nouemb 82 Asembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deacon Aldis Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe John Bacon Nath: Stearnes Sergt Ellic Commisioner to perfict the assesments of the wast Lands and to perfict the country rate

Reaconed with John Fuller and Samuell Guild late Constables and there remain due to the Town four pound one shilling whereof 16s is money and the rest in Corne at prise Current: besides that thirty shilings in money now paide to the Select men. which was forthwith delivered to Ensign Fuller as part of the bill formerly protested and ther remain yet due to Ensign Fuller upon that bill account eight Shilings nin penc

[120] A rate made to defrey country charges according to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the tresurer wherein Each person is assesed at thre penc per pound one third to be paide in money forthwith and two thirds in corn at price currant

	lb	s	d			lb	s	d	
					John Pigg	0	19	4	½
Eld John Hunting	0	9	10	½	John Euerid	0	18	0	½
Capt Daniell Fisher	0	15	1	½	Tho Paine Senr	1	1	4	½
John Gay senr	0	7	7	½	Thos Jordin	0	11	9	
Edw Richards	1	16	10	½	John Fuller	1	0	4	
Nath Colburn senr	1	14	0	½	Michill Metcalfe	1	2	10	½
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	16	6		John Rice Senr	0	16	0	
Nath: Whiting	1	4	0	½	Henery Willson	0	5	0	
Cornt Timo Dwight	1	19	9		John Eaton	0	19	4	½
Deac John Alldis	1	11	1	½	Edw Hawes	0	14	6	½
Sergt Richard Ellic	1	2	1	½	Tho Fisher	0	15	1	½
Sergt Dan Pond	1	0	0		Nath Chickring	0	17	7	½
Sergt Tho Metcalfe	1	0	0		Vigi Fisher	0	8	6	
Sergt John Fairbanke	1	11	3		Samv Milles	0	17	7	½
Nath: Stearnes	0	15	4	½	Pet Woodward	0	5	4	½
John Bacon	1	13	7		Dani Fisher	0	19	4	½
Esther Fisher	0	2	9	¾	Samvell Guild	1	0	0	
Vid Dewen	1	9	0	¾	John Farrington	1	1	0	½
Robt Ware	1	15	0		James Thorp	1	0	8	½
Tho Battle	1	8	4	½	John Richards	0	19	7	½
Robt Fuller	0	10	1		Josia Fisher	0	18	0	
Vid Bullard	0	13	0		Nath Richards	0	7	6	½
Tho Herring	1	8	7	½	John Mason	0	15	6	
Nath Bullard	0	12	7	½	Nath Kingsbury	0	17	2	
John Smith	0	17	11		Asahell Smith	0	8	9	
Thos Aldridg	1	2	2		Samvell Euerid	0	9	0	
Samvell Gay	1	5	0		Ralph Freeman	0	11	3	

Ezra Morse	0	19	0	Robt Auery	0	11	6
Jona Fairbanke	0	19	9	John Fisher	0	4	4 ½
Jona Fuller	0	17	3	John Gay jun^{r}	0	13	4 ½
Doct Jona Auery	0	7	7 ½	Jona Gay	0	13	9
Wili Auery	0	14	0	Jededi Euerid	0	8	6
Josua Fisher	0	12	1 ½	Edw Cook	0	5	9
Nath Colburn ivn^{r}	0	14	0	John Rice jun^{r}	0	6	9
John Colburn	0	13	6	John Battle	0	7	7 ½
John Dean	0	10	6 ½	Samvell Alldridg	0	7	9 ½
Willi Dean	0	8	4 ½	John Fall	0	6	6
James Fall Senr	0	17	4 ½	[121] Nath: Gay	1	3	10 ½
Jona Metcalfe	0	14	7 ½	John Paine	0	10	9
Isaac Chinery	0	15	0	Eph Willson	0	9	6
John Baker	1	1	3	Timo Whiting	0	9	6
Amos Fisher	0	6	6	Benj Oinion	0	6	0
Jona Freeman	0	7	10 ½	James Macknab	0	9	11
Elea Kingsbury	1	0	1 ½	James Mackarora	0	16	2
Benj Milles	0	11	7 ½	Nell Mackia	0	8	9
Tho Paine jvn^{r}	0	7	6	Vid Heyward	0	13	6
Vid Joan Fisher	0	1	6 ½	Samv Barber	0	10	9
Vid Morse	0	0	6	James Grant	0	9	3
Vid Westbrook	0	2	10 ½	Thos Clap	1	1	3
Richard Pufer	1	6	3	John Hunting	0	19	3
Joseph Wight	0	15	4 ½	James Fall jvn^{r}	0	9	3
Vid Wight	0	2	10 ½	John Ellic	0	5	9
Dani Wight	0	10	10 ½	Joseph Newbury	0	5	9
Ralph Day	0	12	1 ½	Samuell Rice	0	5	9
John Mackintosh	0	16	4 ½	Nath. Hawes	0	5	9
Nath: Farrington	0	11	6	John Homes	0	5	0
Vid Farrington	0	3	3	James Draper	0	1	0

A Bill is given to Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of John Fuller and Samvell Guild Late Constables Sixtene Shilings in money as part of what he expended whill he Serued at generall Court mor Asigned to hime the ouerpluss of the country rate amounting to two pounds Six Shillings and Six penc as part of his Salery

A Bill is given to Deac John Alldis to receive of John Fuller and Samuell Guild Late Constables one pound for work done about the Schooll House

A bill is given to Serg^{t} Ellic to receive of John Fuller and Samvell Guild Late Constabls fiventen Shillings for new markeing the bound lines between Dorchester Roxbury & Natick

A Bill is given to Nath Kingsbury to Receive of John Fuller and Sam-

vell Guild Late Constables one pound Seaven Shillings Six penc for ringing the bell and Sweepeing the meeting House

Serg^{t} Pond is ordered to pay to Nath. Kingsbury one pound and to Samvell Wheelock one pound for killing two woulves and to Samvell Sheers ten Shillings and to Joshva Fisher thre pounds twelve Shillings: which payments being made is the balanc of accounts between Serg^{t} Pond and William Auery and the Towne when they wer Constables vpon the acount of the rates and for the vse of the Training ground

Thomas Alldridg hath Liberty to take Timber of the Town Commones for 200 raylles and posts proportionable

15 10—1682 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deac Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe John Bacon Nathanell Stearnes

Cornit Dwight allso had notice to meete this day with the Select men & commetee of militia to take notice of what Stock of Ammunition is in the Ensigns hands and to Set maters to rights between the Town and Ensi Fuller vpon that account

Ensi Fuller presents An account of A considerabl quantity of pouder and lead which he delivered to the Seuerall Garrisons in Town in the time of the warr by order of the commetee of melitia which is not yet returned nor paide for: vpon which: we have agreed to appoint A time and give those persons (which receiued s^{d} pouder and Lead) opertvnity to give an account thereof befor the Generall Town meeteing

[122] This day John Fuller and Samuell Guild Late Constables psent vs with A bill by which they were ordered to pay vnto Nathanell Kingsbury 2^{lb}—10^{s}—14th jan 81 which bill they forgot in their reaconing so that which remaine due to the Town from them is 1^{lb}—11^{s} 1^{lb}—11^{s}—0^{d}

22-10 1682 Assembled in ye Afternoon Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deac Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath Stearnes John Bacon

There being A highway Laide out throw the Farme Granted to Mr Allin: Nath: Colburn came this day to desir satisfaction for s^{d} way: and the Select men doe order that high way to be four rods Broad: and agree that Nathanell Colburn shall have satisfaction for it in Lands Ajatiant to his farme at the discretion of Ensi Thos Fuller Serg^{t} Richd Ellic & Nath: Bullard

Ensign Fuller desire satisfaction for keepeing & mainetaineing the Towns Stock of ammvnition from the 4th of the 7th month 74 vntell 4-7-82 and for that seruic he requier 10^{s} p yeare which amounts to 4^{lb} wherevpon the select men desired hime to abate ten shillings which he did freely and allso 1^{lb} 10^{s} mor for which the select men on the behalfe of the Town returne hime thanks and desir him that he would yet continve in that seruic: to which he Answer that he will for the present: but not vnder ten shillings the yeare

Nath Bullard and Nath: Kingsbury make A motion for timber to make

posts and railles to fenc in theire new ground theire motion is granted puided they fence not with aboue two or thre rayles

the Select men haveing formerly appointed A commetee to reacon with John Baker & they makeing return that they finde hime debter to the Town 6^{lb}—14^{s}—5 and we now calling vpon him for pay: he doth wholly refuse it: only he proffer 1^{lb}—10^{s} pvided the succesers of his partner will doe as much: which tender the Select men except not of: but Leave it to the Town to act in that case as they Shall se meete

Received of John Pygg Six Shillings and Six penc in Silver as A fvll discharge of his part of that 1^{lb}—5^{s}—6 due from himeselfe and Nath: Kingsbury to the Town which was forthwith paide to Capt Fisher as part of the money he expended whille he Serued at Generall Court

this Day we called vpon John Bacon and John Euerid for the remainder of what is yet in theire hands due to the Town sinc they wer Constables and we finde that they have paide 10^{s} in rate pay to John Colburn for killing A woolfe which is A full discharge for what was due from them to the Town in corn pay & there remain yet due to the Town in money 1^{lb}—18^{s}—9^{d} which being demanded John Bacons answer is that he will pay it: if he can get it of those y^{t} are behinde in those rates: to which the Select men answer they will Leave it to the Town whether they except it so.

Defects in the highway worke are as foloweth vizt

	lb	s	d				
Ezra Morse	0	3	0	Daniell Fisher	0×	2	
							d
Willi Dean	0	3	0	Samvell Rice	0	2	0
Ralph Day	0	3	0	Vid Heyward for two yeares	0	6	0
				Amos Fisher	0	3	

Isaac chinery is ordered to mend the Bridg at Pond Plaine Brooke to Answer his defect in highway worke

Peter Woodward is ordered to finish that worke he hath began in Laying Stones in order in the highway by hise yarde for his defect in high way worke

Daniell Fisher Amos Fisher and Ralph Day are ordered to pay there seuerall Assessments aboue mentioned to Capt Fisher

To be proposed at the Generall meeteing

1. Whether the Town Judge it nesecery that all theire orderes be read in Some conueanent time: that all may know & vnderstand them

[123] 2. Whether the Town will be at charge for the accommodateing of women & otheres with conueanant Seates in the meeteing house

3. Whether the Town will referr Peter Woodwards matter conserning his brothers Salery to arbetration

4. Whether the Town will Grant James Draper Liberty to set vp a full-

ing mill vpon the mill brooke at his own charge. or whether they will grant Jonathan Fayrebank that Liberty

5· Whether the Town will make choise of some other man to keepe their Stock of amunition when the present yeare is vp: or desire the Ensign yet to doe it vpon the termes the Select men and himeselfe agreed for the present yeare

1 To be proposed to the proprietors i whether they will chuse A commetee to regulate and order theire commones as makeing orderes for the preserueing of wood and Timber and so Granteing accordingly: or whether they will Leaue it to the Select men to be chosen: or what els they shall judge meete on y^{t} behalfe

2 Whether they will Grant Liberty to keepe A flock of Sheep vpon ye commons if any person or persons will vndertake the same.

At A Generall meeteing of the inhabitants 1—11—1682 the acts of the Select men the yeare past being first read and excepted: then was pposed to know the Townes mindes conserneing that debt of John Baker of 6^{lb}—14^{s}—5^{d} due to the Town: wherevpon the Town desired & deputed Serg^{t} Ellic James Thorp & Nath: Bullard to treat with John Baker conserneind the Saide dept and make return to the Town the first opertunity

conserneing that 1^{lb}—18^{s}—9^{d} due from John Bacon: the Town by vote declare that they Look vpon it to be justly due & that they doe expect it

To the first pposition to the Town vizt whether they iudge it necesecery that all theire orderes be read in some conueanant time that all may know and vnderstand them the Town by vote declare that they will meete 15th instant to that end as allso to attend other Town affayeres

to the 2^{d} pposition the Town answer that they will take it in to consideration vntell the next Generall meeteing 15th Instant

to the 3^{d} pposition the Town answer in the negetive

to the 4th pposition whether the Town will Grant James Draper or Jona Fairbanke liberty to set vp A Fulling mill vpon the Streeme below the corn milles the Town agree and by vote declare that they will chuse A cometee to vew ye place proposed & consider whether it may be beneficiall to the Town and to whom it may be best to grant it and to make return to the Town at their next meeteing 15th ian the cometee chosen are Nath: Colburn Senr insi Tho Fuller & Nath Stearnes

to the 5th pposition whether the Town will chuse som other man to keepe ye Townes Stock of ammunition it was voted in the negetiue

To the first pposition to the proprietors they answer that they will consider of it vntell the next generall meeteing 15th instant

the 2^{d} pposition to the pprietors conserning keepeing A flock of Sheepe was voted in the affirmitive

The pportioning our R^{d} Paster his Sallary is Left to the Select men now to be chosen by the Same rulles as formerly

Elections are as foloweth Nathanell Stearnes is chosen Town Recorder and to be one of the Select men Capt Daniell Fisher Ensi Tho Fuller Dea John Alldis Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Daniell Pond Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe are chosen Select men Nath Colburn Senr Tho Paine Senr James Thorp Nath Bullard Surveyers Capt Daniell Fisher Ensi Tho Fuller and Serg^{t} Richard Ellic are nominated for commisioneres

The proprietors Grant vnto Joseph Damond 4 acres of Land wher it may be most beneficiall to hime: and Least prejuditiall to the Town to be laide out at the discresion of Ensi Tho Fuller Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Nath Bullard: puided he Settle in town. and answer the Townes Expectation in his practicing the trade of a Taner

[124] 15–11–1682 at A Generall meeting of the Town and proprietores the orderes of the Town were then read and the Town did not agree to alter any of them

it being proposed to the Town whether they will be at charge to acomidate women and others with Seates in the meeteing house there answer is that they will first have all the Seates that there are allready: felled with persons & doe Leave it to the Select men to place persons in those Seates accordingly

the Town Grant Nath: Whiting and James Draper Senr and their Heyers Liberty to erect A fulling mill vpon the Streeme low the corn milles vpon those conditions mentioned: and doe Leave it to the Select men to consummate the agreement between the Town and the partyes abouesaid

The proprietors by vote declare that the Land which now ly common between the Low Plaine and the End of the narrow Lane & thereabouts Shall not be laide out to perticuler persons as other Lands are vpon deuidant account but shall ly in common as now they doe

The proprietors by vote declare that they desire the Select men to search the records and finde who have taken vp land vpon deuidant account and tak A list of their names and give it in to the commete empowred to Lay out lands that they may doe that which is right in that case

it being proposed to the proprietors whether they will chuse A commetee to order theier propriotey they Answer they will not, but by their vote declare that they Leave it in the hands of the Select men vntell they Shall take further order

There being Seuerall persons atached vpon the Townes behalfe by Peter Woodward vpon account of his brother Mr Willi Woodwards Sallery the Town desire and depute Capt Dani Fisher and Sergt Richard Ellic to Answer that case on the Townes behalfe

Amos Fishsr make A motion for Timber for a barn and John Mackintosh for timber to make some adition to hise dwelling house their motions are both granted

Serg^{t} Ellic James Thorp and Nath Bullard make their return that they

have treated with Tho Baker conserning the Debt due from hime to the Town and have agreed that he shall pay 3lb in full satisfaction for what is dve from hime to the Town: but vpon the request of Mr Baker the Town agree to take 2lb—10s and to forbeare it one year or two

22-11-1682 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Deac Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe Nath Stearnes to propotion the Rd Pasters Sallerie the yeare beginning 15th Decemb in the year 1682 as foloweth

	£	s	d				
Capt Daniell Fisher	0	13	6	Vidgi Fisher	0	5	8
John Gay senr	0	10	0	Samvill Miles	0	12	6
Edw Richards				Pet Woodward	1	5	8
Nath Colburn senr	1	6	0	Danj Fisher	0	16	0
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	4	4	Samuell Guild	0	14	0
Cornt Timo Dwight	1	10	0	Jno Farrington	0	16	0
Deac John Alldis	1	2	0	James Thorp	0	12	0
Sergt Ellic	0	16	0	Jno Richards	0	15	0
Sergt Pond	0	16	0	Josia Fisher	0	12	6
Sergt Metcalfe	0	16	0	Nath Richards	0	12	0
Sergt Fairbanke	1	1	0	Jno Mason	0	10	4
John Bacon	1	8	0	Nath: Kingsbury	0	13	0
Robart Ware	1	8	0	Ashaell Smyth	0	7	0
Vid & Andrew Duin	1	0	0	Samv Euerid	0	7	0
Esther Fisher	0	3	0	Ralph Freeman	0	7	6
Tho Battle	1	0	0	Ezra Morse	0	16	0
Robart Fuller	0	10	0	Jona Fairebank	0	13	0
Vid Bullard	0	8	8	Jona Fuller	0	13	0
Tho Herring	1	0	0	Willj Auery	0	14	0
Nath: Bullard	0	12	0	Doc Jona Auery	0	9	0
Jno Smith	0	13	0	Joshua Fisher	0	15	0
Tho Aldridg	0	18	0	Nath Colburn jvnr	0	15	0
Samv Gay	0	18	0	Jno Colburn	0	10	0
Jno Pigg	0	14	0	Jno Dean	0	7	0
Jno Euerit	0	13		Willi Dean	0	5	6
[125] Thomas Paine Senr	0	10	11	James Falle Senr	0	12	0
Tho Jordin	0	9	6	Jona Metcalfe	0	11	0
John Fuller	0	15	0	Isaac Chinery	0	6	0
Michalll Metcalfe	0	15	6	Jno Baker	0	10	11
Jno Rice senr	0	11	0	Amos Fisher	0	7	0
Henery Willson	0	6	8	Jona Freeman	0	5	6
Jno Eaton	0	13	0	Nath Stearnes	0	12	0
Edw Hawes	0	10	0	Eleaz Kingsbury	0	16	0
Tho Fisher	0	10	6	Benj Miles	0	8	0
Nath Chickring	0	9	0	Tho Paine jun°	0	5	0

Vid Joan Fisher	0	2	0	Eph Willson	0	6	4
Vid Morse	0	1	0	Timo Whiting	0	7	0
Richard Puffer	0	17	6	Benj Oinion	0	5	0
Joseph Wight	0	12	0	James Makanab	0	6	7
Vid Wight	0	3	0	James Makrora	0	10	0
Danj Wight	0	9	0	Nell Mackiah	0	5	10
Ralph Day	0	13	0	Vid Heyward	0	9	0
Jn° Makintosh	0	9	0	Samu Barber	0	7	0
Nath Farrington	0	9	0	James Grant	0	6	2
Vid Farrington	0	3	0	Tho Clap	0	14	0
Robart Auery	0	11	0	Jno° Hunting	0	15	0
Jn° Fisher	0	7	0	James fall ivn°	0	6	2
Jn° Gay jun°	0	10	0	Jn° Ellic	0	4	0
Jededi Euerid	0	5	8	Joseph Newbury	0	4	0
Edw Cooke	0	4	0	Samv Rice	0	4	0
Jn° Rice jun°	0	4	8	Nath Hawes	0	4	0
Jn° Battle	0	9	0	Jn° Hawes	0	4	0
Samvell Aldridg	0	5	4	Daved Fairbank	0	3	6
Jno Falle	0	4	4	Vid Whiting	0	16	0
Nath Gay	0	17	0	Tho Okinton	0	3	6
Jn° Paine	0	7	2	Jona Gay	0	11	0

[126] 12: 12–1682 Assembled Ensi Tho Fuller Deac John Aldis Serg^t Richard Ellic Serg^t Dani Pond Serg^t Tho Metcalfe and Nathanell Stearnes to make the Schooll & town rate

A rate made to defray Town charges at one peney per pound as deputyes charge &c as allso the one halfe of the Schooll rate) and the remainder of the Schooll rate is raised vpon the childrin as is here inserted, the wholl is to be paide two fifths in money and thre fifths in corn at prise current according to town order

	£	s	d	£	s	d							
Mr Willi Adams	0	0	0	0	5	6	Serg^t Jn° Fairbank	0	10	5			
Eld Jn° Hunting	0	3	3½				Jn° Bacon	0	11	2½			
Capt Dani Fisher	0	5	0½				Robt Ware	0	11	8			
Jn° Gay Sen°	0	2	6½				Vid&AndrewDuin	0	9	4			
Edw Richards	0	11	3				Esther Fisher	0	0	11			
Nath Colburn Sen°	0	11	4				Tho Battle	0	9	6	0	5	6
Ensi Tho Fuller	0	12	2				Robt Fuller	0	3	4	0	5	6
Corn^tTimoDwight	0	13	2	0	11	0	Vid Bullard	0	4	4	0	5	6
Dea Jn° Aldis	0	10	4½				Tho Herring	0	9	7			
Serg^t Richard Ellic	0	7	4½				Nath Bullard	0	6	1½			
Serg^t Dani Pond	0	6	8	0	9	9	Jn° Smyth	0	6	0			
Serg^t ThoMetcalfe	0	6	8	0	11	0	Tho Aldridg	0	7	5			

Samvell Gay	0	8	4				Beni Milles	0	3	10½	0	5	6
Jn° Pygg	0	6	6				Tho Paine iun°	0	2	10			
Jn° Euerid	0	6	0	0	5	6	Vid Joan Fisher	0	0	6			
Tho Paine Sen°	0	7	1				Richd Puffer	0	8	9			
Tho Jordin	0	3	11				Joseph Wight	0	5	1½			
Jn° Fuller	0	6	9	0	2	9	Deni Wight	0	3	8			
Michill Metcalfe	0	7	7½	0	5	6	Vid Wight	0	0	11½			
Jn° Rice Sen°	0	5	4				Ralph Day	0	4	0½			
Hen Willson	0	1	8				Jn° Makintosh	0	5	5½			
Jn° Eaton	0	6	5½	0	11	0	Nath Farrington	0	3	6			
Edw Hawes	0	4	10				Robt Auery	0	3	10			
Tho Fisher	0	5	0½				Jn° Fisher	0	3	4½			
Nath Chickring	0	5	10½	0	5	6	Jn° Gay iun^r	0	4	5½			
Vidgi Fisher	0	2	10				Jededi Euerid	0	2	10			
Samv Miles	0	5	10½				Edw Cook	0	1	11			
Pet Woodward	0	10	4½	0	7	4	Jn° Rice iun°	0	2	3			
Dani Fisher	0	6	5½				Jn° Battle	0	2	6½			
Samv Gvild	0	6	8	0	2	9	Samv Aldridg	0	2	7			
Jn° Farrington	0	7	0				Jn° Falle	0	2	2			
James Thorp	0	6	10½	0	5	6	Nath Gay	0	8	0	0	11	0
John Richards	0	6	6½	0	5	6	Jn° Paine	0	3	7			
Jn° Mason	0	5	2				Eph Willson	0	3	2			
Nath Kingsbury	0	5	9	0	5	6	Timo Whiting	0	3	2			
Asahell Smyth	0	2	11	0	5	6	Benj Oinion	0	2	0			
Samv Euerid	0	3	0				James Maknab	0	3	4			
Ralph Freeman	0	3	9				James Makrory	0	5	4½	0	5	6
Ezra Morse	0	6	4	0	16	6	[127]John Hunting	0	6	5	0	11	0
Jona Fairbanke	0	8	6	0	5	6	Nell Makiah	0	2	11			
Jona Fuller	0	5	9				Vid Heyward	0	4	6			
Willi Auery	0	4	8				Samv Barber	0	3	7			
Jona Auery	0	2	7				James Grant	0	3	1	0	5	6
Josia Fisher	0	4	0½	0	5	6	Tho Clap	0	7	1	0	1	10
Nath Colburn iun^r	0	4	8		5	6	James Fall iun^r	0	3	1			
Jn° Colburn	0	4	6		11	0	Jn° Ellic	0	1	11			
Jn° Dean	0	3	6	0	5	6	Jos Newbury	0	1	11			
James Falle Sen°	0	5	9½				Samv Rice	0	1	11			
Jona Metcalfe	0	4	6½	0	5	6	Nath Hawes	0	1	11			
Isaac Chinery	0	5	0				Jn° Hawes	0	1	8			
Jn° Baker	0	7	1	0	11	0	Daved Fairbank	0	1	8			
Amos Fisher	0	2	2				Josia Fisher	0	6	0	0	5	6
Jona Freeman	0	2	7				Vid Whiting	0	8	0			
Nath Stearnes	0	5	1½				Tho ocinton	0	1	8			
Elea Kingsbury	0	6	8½	0	2	9	Nath Richards	0	5	5½			

Vid Morse	0	0	2				Matthew Ston	0	2	2
Vid Farrington	0	1	1	0	5	6	James Draper Sen°	0	0	4
Jona Gay	0	4	7				James Draper iun°	0	0	4
Jn° Homes	0	1	8							

Serg^{t} Ellic have Liberty to take Timber vpon the Town commons for A frame for A house and barne

John Rice Sen° have Liberty to take timber of the commons for posts & rayles to repaier his fences about his Lande at home

Deacon Alldis haue Liberty to take Timber vpon the commons for fencing Stufe for his necesery vse

28–12–1682 Assembled after Lectur Ensi Fuller Dea Aldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Metcalfe Serg^{t} Pond Nath: Stearnes

men appointed to burn the woods as foloweth for the East Street Samvell Euerid. for the midll plaine and Smooth plaine Jn° Battle and Edw Cook. for the Iland Andrew Dewin

men appointed to view fences as followeth for the west End of the Town as farr as the ordnery Jn° Bacon & Thos Battle. for the east end of the Town to the ordnery Serg^{t} fairbank & Samvell Guild for the great plaine & Schooll ground Nath Gay Nath: Kingsbury & Joseph Wight & for all other out fields vn the Iland Side Thos Aldridg Jn° Fuller and Michill Metcalfe for all out fields on this side the riuer towards Nateck Daniell Fisher and Thos Fisher for those Fields towards Meadfield Nath: Chickring & Jn° Dean for those fields toward fowll meadow from the East End of the Town and neponsit fielde James Thorp and Samvell Euerid for South Plaine and those fields neer it Robt Auery & Willi Dean for the Low Plain Jn° Farrington and Josia Fisher for Roxbury Plain Ezra Morse and Jn° Colburn

A Bill is giuen to Jededia Euerid to receiue of the constable two pounds for killing four wolues

Granted to Jn° Gay Sen° and to Thos fisher timber vpon the commons to make posts and railes for A 3 rayll fenc to fenc in the new Land last granted to them. and to Jn° Gay is granted timber to make railes and posts for his necesery vse about his home Lott

Vpon complaint that the high way leadeing to foull meadow is much streitned between the lotts of Robt Auery and Samvell Gay, by reason of one or both their fences being set within the s^{d} high way. Nath: Colburn & Serg^{t} Ellic are therefore desired and deputed to repaire to the s^{d} high way there: and take notic how it is and inform the owners of the fenc accordingly that it may be rectyfyed Speedily and themselves put to no further troubll nor the Town to mor inconveaneancy

Vpon complaint of Ezra Morse that he is molested in his Land belonging to his mill purchised of Serg^{t} Pond. Serg^{t} Ellic and Serg^{t} Pond are deputed to to repaire to the s^{d} Land and new mark all the lines conserned

about y^{t} land as it was set out by Lieftenant Fisher and Peter Woodward Senr

Granted to Daniell Wight Timber vpon the commons for 100 railles and posts ꝑportionable

[128] 26 - 1 - 1683 Assembled Ensi Thos Fuller Dea John Aldis Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

A bill is giuen to Samvell Colburn to receive 1^{lb} 10^{s} of ye Constable for Killing thre wolves

A bill is giuen to Asahell Smyth to receive of the Constable 11^{s} 8^{d} for A fine taken of hime by the Select men for his disorderly sitting in the meeteing house: and he acknowlidging the legality of the act of the Select men in takeing s^{d} fine and desiring that it might be returned: vpon that account this bill is granted

A bill is giuen to Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe to receive of the constable 5^{s} for new marking the line between Dorchester and Dedham

Granted to Nathanell Whiting and to James Draper Senr and to their Heirs Liberty to Erect a fulling mill vpon the streem below the corn mills for the vse of this Town Granted allso to the persons aforesaide so much Land adjoyning to the streem as thay shall have ocation to floud by their millpond and one rod broad from the Edge of the pond where the land will bear it and allso what timber they can finde vpon that land on the north side of the river that is sutabl and vsefull for their mill: and alls what wood, earth, and stones they shall have ocation to make vse of for the makeing and maintaining their damm from time to time

prouided the persons aboue saide have their fulling mill erected and at work by jun. 1. 1684 prouided allso that if the persons aforesaide or their successors doe not improue the vse of the saide streeme and land aboue granted for the benifit and to the satisfaction of the Town by a fulling mill or let their mill ly vnseruicable (except it be in case of som extreordnary prouidanc hindering its worke) for mor than six months together then the wholl hereby granted shall againe return to the town. prouided allso that if the town at any time se cavse to set vp a corn mill vpon the place, they may so doe. vnles the persons aforsaid will doe. it at their own charge to the towns content. prouided allso that the right to the mill shall not be alionated to any person or persons not inhabiting in this Town without the Towns consent. To these propositions aboue writen the partyes aboue mentioned have set to their hands

[1] Timothy Whiting
James Draper
James Draper jun^{r}

A bill is giuen to Samvell Euerid to receive of the constable 3^{s} for boards to repaire the Seates in the meeting house

[1] Autographs.

A bill is given to Mr Richard Himsman Schoolmaster to receive of the Constable fiveten pound in corn pay as part of his Sallary

A bill is given to Mr Richard Himsman Schoollmaster to receive of the Constable five pounds in money as part of his Sallerey

A bill is given to Capt Fisher to receive of the Constable forty Shilings in money and twelve Shillings in corne for his expences at the Generall court and part of his Sallerey

Vpon A motion of Joshua Fisher to make som alteration in the lying of his land neer South plaine and allso ppose that the highway may be mor conueanant for the Town and Nath Colburn sen^{r} Jno Bacon and Nath Gay being formerly deputed to vew the premises and not yet made their return we doe therefor desir and deput Cornit Timo Dwight and Dea Jno Aldis to join with the former commete to vew the sam and make return to the Select men at the first opertunity

A bill is giuen to Nath: Stearnes to receive of the constable 5^{s}—6^{d} for wrighting Severall rates in the Town booke A bill is given

[129] 17–2: 83 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi. Fuller Deacon Aldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

A Bill is given to Josia Fisher to receive of the Constable 6 shilings and A peney For 4: s: 9^{d} he paide to the Schoollmaster for Eleaz Fisher when he was not in Town. and 1^{s}: 4^{d} for killing two duzen of blakbirds

A Bill is given to John Hunting to receive of the Constable ten Shillings For killing A wolfe

A rate made to defray country charges and for the Suply of our Aients in England, according to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the tresurer wherein Each inhabitant is assessed at one peny per pound to be paide in money forthwith

	lb	s	d				
Capt Daniell Fisher	0	5	0½	Tho Battle	0	9	6
Jno Gay sen^{o}	0	2	6½	Robt Fuller	0	3	4
Edw Richards	0	11	3	Vid Bullard	0	4	4
Nath Colburn sen^{r}	0	11	4	Tho Herring	0	9	7
Ensi Tho Fuller	0	12	2	Nath Bullard	0	6	1½
Corn^{t} Timo Dwight	0	15	2	Jno Smyth	0	6	0
Dea Jno Aldis	0	10	4½	Tho Aldridg	0	7	5
Serg^{t} Richard Ellic	0	7	4½	Samuell Gay	0	8	4
Serg^{t} Daniell Pond	0	6	8	Jno Pygg	0	6	6
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	0	6	8	Jno Euerid	0	6	0
Serg^{t} Jno Fairbank	0	10	5	Tho Paine Sen^{o}	0	7	0
Jno Bacon	0	11	2½	Tho Jordin	0	3	11
Robt Ware	0	11	8	Jno Fuller	0	6	9
Vid & Andrew Dewin	0	9	4	Michill Metcalfe	0	7	7
Esther Fisher	0	0	11	Jno Rice Sen^{o}	0	5	4

Henery Willson	0	1	8	Jn° Mackintosh	0	5	5½
Jn° Eaton	0	6	5½	Nath Farrington		3	6
Edw Hawes	0	4	10	Robt Auery	0	3	10
Thos Fisher	0	5	0½	Jn° Fisher	0	3	4½
Nath: Chickring	0	5	10½	Jn° Gay iunr	0	4	5½
Vidgi Fisher	0	2	10	Jededia Euerid	0	2	10
Samvell Miles	0	5	10	Edw Cook	0	1	11
Pet Woodward	0	10	4½	Jn° Rice junr	0	2	3
Dan Fisher	0	6	5½	Nath Gay	0	8	0
Samuell Guild	0	6	8	Jn° Battle	0	2	6½
Jn° Farrington	0	7	0	Samuell Aldridg	0	2	7
James Thorp	0	6	10½	Jn° Falle	0	2	2
Jn° Richards	0	6	6½	Jn° Paine	0	3	7
Jn° Mason	0	5	2	Eph Willson	0	3	2
Nath Kingsbury	0	5	9	Timo Whiting	0	3	2
Asahell Smyth	0	2	11	Benj Oinion	0	2	0
Samvell Euerid	0	3	0	James Maknab	0	3	4
Ralph Freeman	0	3	9	James Makrora	0	5	4½
Ezra Morse	0	6	4	Nell Makiah	0	2	11
Jono Fairbank	0	8	6	Jn° Hunting	0	6	5
Jona Fuller	0	5	9	Vid Heyward	0	4	6
Willi Auery	0	4	8	Samvell Barber	0	3	7
Jno Colburn	0	4	6	James Grant	0	3	1
Josia Fisher	0	5	4	Tho Clap	0	7	1
Nath: Colburn ivnr	0	4	8	James Falle junr		3	1
Jn° Dean	0	3	6	Jn° Ellic	0	1	11
James Falle Sen°	0	5	9½	Joseph newbury	0	1	11
Jona Metcalfe	0	4	6½	Samvell Rice	0	1	11
Isaac Chenery	0	5	0	Nath: Hawes	0	1	11
Jn° Baker	0	7	1	Jn° Hawes	0	1	8
Amos Fisher	0	2	2	Daved Fairbank	0	1	8
Jona Freeman	0	2	7	Vid Whiting	0	8	0
Nath: Stearnes	0	5	1½	Tho ocington	0	1	8
Elea Kingsbury	0	6	8½	Nath: Richards		5	5½
Benj Miles	0	3	10½	Vid Morse	0	0	2
Tho Paine ivnr	0	2	10	Vid Farrington	0	1	1
Vid Joan Fisher		0	6	Jona Gay	0	4	7
[130] Joseph Wight	0	5	1½	Jn° Homes	0	1	8
Richard Puffer	0	8	0	Matthew Ston	0	2	2
Danj Wight	0	3	8	James Draper Sen°		0	4
Vid Wight	0	0	11½	James Draper junr		0	4
Ralph Day	0	4	0½	Doct Jona Auery	0	2	7

29–6–1683 Assembled Capt Fisher Ensi Fuller Sergt Ellic Sergt Metcalfe Nath: Stearnes with the commissioner to take the biles and send in our rateable Estate according to Law

Nath: Gay and John Dean are chosen tything men to Joyn with those allready chosen

11 Decemb–1683 Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Aldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Ellic Sergt Metcalfe and Nath: Stearnes to make the country rate

A bill is given to Edward hawes to receive of the constable 10s for looking after the boyes

Nathanell Gay have Liberty to take timber of the commons for A frame for A barne

18 December 1683 Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Aldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe and Nath: Stearnes to perfict the country rate and to make the Town and Schooll rate

	lb	s	d
Reaconed with Jno Fuller and Samuell Giuld late Constables and there remain due to balanc	0	0	0

A bill is giuen to John Fuller to receive of the Constable one Shilling six penc for 1s—6d he ouer paide to the Schooll rate in the year 1682

[131] Received of Nath: Kingsbury and John Bacon administraters to the Estate of Jno Bacon Deceased one pound ten Shillings in silver which was due from the aforesaide Jno Bacon to the Town Euer sinc he was constable in the yeare 1677 and is A full discharge to the aforesaide administraters vpon the acount abouesaide) this money abouesaide was forthwith deliuered to Insign Fuller as part of what is due to hime from the Town

A bill is given to Nath: Kingsbury to receive of the constable ten Shillings for A bill of ten Shillings Jno Bacon deceased was ouer charged with when he was constable

24–10 1683 Assembled Ensi Fuller Sergt Metcalfe Deacon Alldis Sergt Pond Sergt Ellic and Nath. Stearnes to finish the rates and to atend other Town affaieres

Jno fisher haue liberty to take Timber vpon the commons for posts and raylles to fenc in his Land at Natick

Jona Metcalf have Liberty to take Timber vpon the Town commons for a frame for a House

A bill is given to Jno Pygg to receive of the Constable 6s 6d for board to repaire the Seates in the meeting house

A rate made to defray country charges according to the Generall courts order and warrant from the tresurer wherein Each inhabitant is assesed at two penc half peney per pound thre fifths to be paide in money and two fifths in corn

Eld Jn° Hunting	0	4	0
the Estate of Capt Fisher	0	10	1
Jn° Gay Sen°	0	7	8
Edw Richards	1	4	2
Nath Colburn	1	6	4
Ensi Fuller	0	19	2
cornt Timo Dwight	1	10	10
Dea Jn° Aldis	0	15	5
Sergt Ellic	0	13	8
Sergt Pond	0	13	1
Sergt Metcalfe	0	14	6
Sergt Fairbank	01	2	9
Robt Ware	1	9	0
Thos Battely	0	18	0
Robt Fuller	0	6	4
Thos Herring	0	16	10
Nath Bullard	0	10	9
Thos Aldridg	0	16	5
Samv Gay	0	16	6
Jn° Smyth	0	13	3
Tho Paine sen°	0	11	0
Jn° Pygg	0	11	9
Jn° Euerid	0	12	7
Tho Jordin	0	9	9
Jn° Fuller	0	17	8
Michill Metcalfe	0	13	1
Jn° Rice Sen°	0	10	10
Henery Willson	0	5	2
Jn° Eaton	0	9	3
Edw Hawes	0	10	2
Tho Fisher	0	10	5
Nath Chickring	0	13	11
Joshua Fisher		18	1
Pet Woodward	01	1	5
Dani Fisher	0	15	2
Samv Giuld	0	13	7
Jn° Farrington	0	13	11
James Thorp	0	10	10
Jn° Richards	0	14	11
Jn° Mason	0	13	10
Nath Kingsbury	0	12	4
Asahell Smyth	0	6	8
Samv Euerid	0	6	5
Ralph Freeman	0	5	11
Ezra Morse	0	12	1
Jona Fairbank	0	16	1
Jona Fuller	0	12	2
Samv Mills	0	12	6
Vid Dewin	0	13	9
Vid Bacon	0	17	1
Vid Bullard	0	8	6
Vid Esther Fisher	0	2	6
Jn° Colburn	0	10	7
Josia Fisher	0	11	8
Nath: Colburn	0	11	10
Jn° Dean	0	7	11
James Fall sen°	0	16	5
Jona Metcalfe	0	13	4
Isaac Chinery Sen	0	13	4
Jn° Baker	0	11	0
Amos Fisher	0	7	1
Jona Freeman	0	2	2
Nath Stearnes	0	10	3
Elea Kingsbury	0	12	10
Benj Mills	0	10	2
Vidgi Fisher	0	6	8
Willi Auery	0	16	9
Thos Pain junr	0	5	1
Vid Joan Fisher	0	1	6
Joseph Wight	0	10	0
Richd Puffer	0	8	0
Danj Wight	0	8	6
Vid Wight	0	1	0
Ralph Day	0	12	0
Jn° Makintosh	0	8	4
Nath Farrington	0	8	1
Robt Avery	0	8	4
Jn° Fisher	0	5	4
Jn° Gay iunr	0	10	0
Jededi Euerid	0	6	0
Edw Cook	0	4	9
Jn° Rice iunr	0	4	2
Nath Gay	0	15	8
Jn° Battely	0	4	7
Samv Aldridg	0	4	7
Jn° Falle	0	5	2

Jn° Pain	0	7	7	Doc Jona Avery	0	10	10
Eph Willson	0	4	2	Jn° Bacon	0	5	8
Benj Oinion	0	5	10	Jn° Hunting	0	11	0
Timo Whiting	0	9	10	Thos ocington	0	4	2
James Makanab	0	7	7	Vid Morse	0	0	6
James Makrora	0	9	8	Vid Farrington	0	3	11
Nell Mackiah	0	7	5	Jona Gay	0	11	0
Vid Heyward	0	8	10	Jn° Homes	0	4	2
Samv Barber	0	8	11	Matth Ston	0	4	10
James Grant	0	6	6	Isaac Chinery iun	0	4	6
Thos Clap	0	18	2	Comfort Starr		5	7
James Fall iunr		6	5	Nath Richards	0	9	1
Joseph Damond		4	2	Vid Euerid & Richd Puffer	0	8	0
Mr Jos Bastard		8	11				
[182] Joshva Fisher				Henery Lane	0	4	2
Jn° Ellic	0	5	2	Edward Fairbank	0	4	9
Jos Newbury	0	4	2	Dani Barnie	0	4	2
Samv Rice	0	5	4	Jn° Hawes	0	5	11
Nath: Hawes	0	4	2	Andrew Dewin	0	7	7
Daved Fairbank		4	2	James Draper ivnr	0	0	7
Vid Whiting	0	15	8				

A rate made to defrey Town charges at one peney half peney per pound: as allso one halfe of the Schoole rate and the other halfe of the Schoole rate is raised vpon the childrin as is here inserted, the wholl is to be paide two fifths in money and thre fifths in corn at prise currant according to Town order

Eld Jn° Hunting	0	2	5				Thos Aldridg	0	9	10		
the Estat of Capt Fisher	0	6	0				Samv Gay	0	9	11		
							Jn° Smyth	0	7	11		
Jn° Gay Senr	0	4	4				Thos Pain Senr	0	6	7		
Edw Richards	0	14	6				Jn° Pygg	0	7	0		
Nath Colburn	0	15	10				John Euerid	0	7	6		
Ensi Thos Fuller	0	11	2				Tho Jordin	0	5	10		
Cornit Dwight	1	1	4	0	10	0	Jn° Fuller	0	10	8	0	5	0
Dea Jn° Alldis	0	9	2				Mich Metcalfe	0	7	11		
Sergt Richd Ellic	0	8	2				Jn° Rice Sen°	0	6	6		
Sergt Benj Pond	0	7	10	0	8	9	Henery Willson	0	3	1		
Sergt Thos Metcalfe	0	8	8	0	5	0	Jn° Eaton	0	5	6	0	10	0
Sergt Jn° Fairbank	0	13	8	0			Edw Hawes	0	6	1		
Thos Battely	0	10	9				Thos Fisher	0	6	3		
Robt Fuller	0	3	9	0	5	0	Nath Chickring	0	8	4	0	5	0
Thos Herring	0	10	1				Pet Woodward	0	14	1	0	6	3

Vidgi Fisher	0	4	0	0		
Daniell Fisher	0	9	1			
Mr Willi Adames	0	0	0	0	5	0
Samvell Gvild	0	8	2	0	5	
Jno Farrington	0	8	4		5	
James Thorp	0	6	6		5	
Jno Richards	0	8	11		5	
Jno Mason	0	9	9			
Nath: Kingsbury	0	07	4		5	
Ashell Smyth	0	4	0		5	
Samv Euerid	0	3	10			
Ralph Freeman	0	3	6			
Ezra Morse	0	7	2		8	4
Jona Fairbank	0	10	9		5	
Jona Fuller	0	7	3			
Vid Dewen	0	7	3			
Andrew Dewin	0	4	6			
Vid Bacon	0	10	3		5	
Vid Esther Fisher	0	1	6			
Vid Bullard	0	5	2		5	
Will Auery	0	10	0		5	
Samv Mills	0	7	0			
Josi Fisher	0	7	0		5	
Jno Colburn	0	6	4		10	
Nath Colburn	0	7	1		5	
Jno Dean	0	4	9		5	
James Fall Senr	0	10	6			
Jona Metcalfe	0	8	0		10	
Isaac Chinery	0	8	0			
Jno Baker	0	6	7		10	
Amos Fisher	0	4	3			
Jona Freeman	0	1	4			
Nath Stearnes	0	6	2			
Elea Kingsbury	0	7	8		10	
Benj Miles	0	6	1		10	
Tho Pain iuno	0	3	0			
Jos Wight	0	6	0			
Richard Puffer	0	4	9			
Danj Wight	0	5	6			
Comfort Star	0	3	4			
[188] Ralph Day	0	6	7			
Jno Mackintosh	0	5	0			
Nath: Farrington	0	4	10			

Robt Auery	0	5	0			
Jno Fisher	0	4	4			
Jno Gay ivnr	0	6	0			
Jededi Euerid	0	2	8			
Edw Cook	0	2	11			
Jno Rice jvno	0	2	6			
Nath: Gay	0	9	5	5	0	0
Jno Battely	0	2	10			
Samv Aldridg	0	2	9			
Beni oinion	0	3	5			
Timo Whiting	0	5	10			
James Maknab	0	4	6	5		
James Makrora	0	5	9	10		
Nell Mackia	0	4	4			
Vid Heyward	0	5	3			
Vid Joa Fisher	0	1	0			
Samv Barber	0	5	4			
Thos Clap	0	11	0			
James Falle iuno	0	3	10			
Joseph Damond	0	2	6			
Jno Ellic	0	3	1			
Joseph Newbury	0	2	6			
Samv Rice	0	3	2			
Jno Hawes	0	3	6			
Nath Hawes	0	2	6			
Jno Bacon	0	4	10			
Doc Jona Auery	0	6	6			
Nath: Bullard	0	7	7			
Jno Hunting	0	6	7		10	0
Daved Fairbank	0	2	6			
Vid Whiting	0	9	5			
Nath: Richards	0	6	7			
Thos ocington	0	2	6			
Vid Morse	0	0	3			
Vid Farrington	0	2	4		5	
Jona Gay	0	6	7			
Jno Homes	0	2	6			
Matth Ston	0	2	10			
Vid Euerid & Richd Puffer	0	4	9			
Henery Lane	0	2	6			
Edw Fairbank	0	2	10			
Dani Barnle	0	2	6			

Isaac Chinery iun^{r}	0	2	9		Jno Paine	0	4	6
Mr Jos Bastard	0	5	4		Eph Willson	0	2	6
Robt Ware	0	17	5		James Grant	0	3	10
Joshua Fisher	0	10	10	10	Danj Bacon	0	2	6
Jno Fall	0	3	1					

31-10-1683 Assembled Ensi Fuller Serg^{t} Metcalfe Dea Aldis Serg Pond Serg^{t} Ellic Nath: Stearnes

Elder Hunting informing the Select men that there was, many yeares sinc one acre of Land Granted to hime by the South plaine gate to make vp his number of acres in his Lott at South plaine, but is not yet laide out to hime, and it plainly appeareing to vs that it is his iust due we doe desir and impower Deacon Jno Alldis and Serg^{t} Richard Ellic to lay it out to hime accordingly

Defects in Highway work are as foloweth

Nath: Hawes	0	4	0
Matthew Ston	0	2	0
Isaac Chinery	0	8	0
Isaac Chinery ion^{r}	0	4	0
Joseph Newbury	0	2	0
Jno Baker	0	6	0
Samv Aldridg	0	4	0
Ezra Morse	0	3	0

31. 10. 1683 Received of Deacon John Aldis upon ye account of ye town of Dedham for ye year beginning 15. 10. 1680 & Ending ye 15. 10. 1681 the full & just sum̃e of Sixty pounds in money or as money

By me William Adams.

A bill is given to Jno Euerid to receive of the Constable 5^{s} for running the line betwext Dorchester and Dedham

A bill is given to Serg^{t} Pond to receive of the Constable Seaventen Shillings for work done in the meeting hous

A bill is given to Joshua Fisher to receive of the Constable 3^{lb}—9^{s}—4^{d} for his charge at the Generall meeting and for Select mens Diet

[184] To be proposed at the Generall meeting

1 We being informed that there is a highway Laide out from the viliag to Sherburn which run throw many of our Lotts to our great Damiag whether the Town will rest Satisfyed as it now ly, or chuse A commette and impower them to act therein as they se meete

2 Whether the Town will put the case depending between Peter Woodward and them concerning his brother Mr Woodwards Sallery to arbetration

3 Whether the Town will be at charge to Erect mor Gallerys in the meetinghouse to seate persons in

4 Whether the Town will chose A person to be clark of the writs

5 Whether the Town will freely svply our reu^{d} Paster with wood for his fire

1-11-1683 Att A Generall meeteing of the inhabitants

to the first proposition conserning the high way throw their lotts neer the falles the Town declare by vote that they will chuse A commitee to inqvire into that case and make return to the Town att the first oportunity. the commitee chosen are Ensi Fuller Serg^{t} Ellic and Nath Bullard

to the third pposition whether the Town will Erect mor Galleryes in the meetinghouse the Town by vote declare that they will leave it to consideration vntell the Generall meeteing in january 1684

Elections are as foloweth Nath: Stearnes is chosen Town Recorder and to be one of the Select men

Ensi Thos Fuller Dea Jno Alldis Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Danj Pond Serg^{t} Thos Metcalfe & William Auery are chosen Select men

Nath: Colburn Senr Thos Battely Michill Metcalfe & James Thorp are chosen Sirveyers

The Town by vote declare that they will nomenate thre men for commisioners and present them to the court for theire approbation

the pportioning our paster his Sallery is left to the Select men

14-11-1683 Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Aldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Metcalfe Seg^{t} Pond Willi Avery Nath Stearnes to pportion the Pasters Sallery

Reconed with the Constables for the rate delivered to them which was made

12-12-1682 and there remain due to them from the Town 2^{lb}—0^{s}—8^{d}
and there is due from them to the Town in money 8 7 2

A bill is given to Samvell Colburn to receive of the Constable ten Shillings for killing A woulfe

A bill is giuen to Jno Dean to receive two shillings nine penc for killing hawkes and blakbirds

[185] A bill is giuen to Deacon Alldis to receive of the Constables one pound ten Shillings in Corn pay and one pound eight shillings in money for his seruic and Expences at the Generall Court

A bill is giuen to Nath: Stearnes to receive of the constable one pound one shilling eight penc in money and one pound eight shillings in corn pay for his seruic and charges at Generall Court

22-11-1683 Assembled Insi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery Nath Stearnes with the Reu^{d} Elders to order & dispose of the money given by Doct Willi Auery for the vse of A lattin schooll

Ensi Tho Fuller Serg^{t} Daniell Pond and Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe are desired and impowered wth the Reu^{d} Elders and Select men to take care and to dis-

pose of the money abouesaide so as it may be secured and improued for the end mentioned

Nath: Gay have liberty to take Timber of the Town commons for a frame for a dweling house

Samvell Gay have Liberty to take timber vpon the town commons for a frame for a barn

Nath: Chickring have Liberty to take Timber vpon the Town comons for 150 rayles and post propotionable

Thos battely Nath: Chickring and Thos Fisher have liberty to take timber vpon the Town commons to make A thre raill fenc about part of rock field vpon treaty with: Peter Woodward about seuerall things of concernment it is agreed and concluded for a fineall issu of all diferances between the town and hime

1 that the said Peter Woodward shall freely have hold & injoy all that land within fenc lying between the house of James Grant and the low plaine without paying anything to the Town vpon that account, and allso two acres more Shall be aded to hime in this present deuidant granted in the year 1681 which shall be full satisfaction for all claimes of lands by said Peter preceeding the deuidant aboue mentioned

2 that Peter Woodward shall have that Land lying between the high way leading to the low plain and that land of Peter Woodward aboue mentioned laide out to hime by the commetee

3^{d} that he will demand of the Seuerall inhabitants their proportions in Mr Woodwards Sallary, and that if any Shall neglect or refuse to pay, that then he will give in their names to the Select men, who doe ingage to Grant warrants to the constables to take the Same by distress that he may have his just due as an explanation of these words in the 9th and 10th lines vizt which Shall be full Satisfaction for all claimes of lands by s^{d} Peter preceeding the deuidant abone mentioned, is to be vnderstood of all lands that have bin laide out before this present deuidant Subscribed by vs

[1]Peter Woodward
Nath: Stearnes in the name
of the Select men

[**136**] Edw Hawes have liberty to take Timber vpon the commons for 20 or 30 rods of two or thre raill fenc

Jno battely have liberty to take Timber vpon the commons for 30 posts

Thomas Clap moueing to Exchang 6 acres of land lying on this Side of the redg (formerly Granted to Lief^{t} Fisher) and to take it vp on the backside of his Land at home, and the Select men being informed that it may be rayther benjficiall then prejedetiall to the Town: his motian is Granted and

[1] Autographs.

have desired and deputed Deacon Alldis and Serg^{t} Ellic to lay it out to hime accordingly.

The Pasters Sallerie the year begining 15 Decemb 1683

	lb	s	d				
The Estate of Capt Fisher	0	9	2	Samv Euerid	0	6	0
Jno Gay	0	11	0	Ralph Freeman	0	5	7
Edw Richards	1	2	5	Ezra Morse	0	11	3
Nath Colburn	1	8	3	Jona Fairbank	0	16	8
Ensi Fuller	0	17	9	Jona Fuller	0	11	4
Lief^{t} Dwight	1	10	3	Vid Dewin	0	12	8
Dea Alldis	1	1	2	Andrew Dewin	0	7	2
Serg^{t} Ellic	0	16	5	Vid Bacon	0	16	10
Serg^{t} Pond	0	16	1	Esth Fisher	0	2	5
Serg^{t} Metcalf	0	13	5	Vid Bullard	0	7	11
Serg^{t} Fairbank	1	1	1	Nath Bullard	0	11	10
Tho battle	0	17	4	Willi Auery	0	15	6
Robt Fuller	0	9	9	Samv Miles	0	11	4
Tho Herring	0	19	6	Josi Fisher	0	10	9
Thos Aldridg	0	15	3	Nath: Colburn	0	11	0
Samv Gay	0	15	4	Jno Colburn	0	9	10
Jno Smyth	0	12	3	Jno Dean	0	7	4
Tho Pain Sen^{o}	0	10	2	James Falle Senr	0	15	2
Jno Pygg	0	10	10	Jona Metcalfe	0	12	5
Jno Euerid	0	11	6	Isaa Chinery	0	12	5
Tho Jordin	0	12	11	Jno Baker	0	10	3
Jno Fuller	0	16	4	Amos Fisher	0	6	7
Mich Metcalf	0	12	2	Jona Freeman	0	5	10
Jno Rice Senr	0	10	0	Nath Stearnes	0	13	4
Henry Willson	0	8	0	Elea Kingsbury	0	11	11
Jno Eaton	0	12	4	Benj Mills	0	9	5
Edw Hawes	0	13	3	Tho Pain jvn^{r}	0	4	7
Tho Fisher	0	9	2	Jos Wight	0	9	3
Nath Chickring	0	12	11	Richd Puffer	0	7	4
Pet Woodward	1	5	5	Dani Wight	0	7	11
Vidgi Fisher	0	6	3	Ralph Day	0	11	2
Danj Fisher	0	14	1	Jno Mackintosh	0	11	2
Samv Guild	0	12	6	Nath: Farrington		7	6
Jno Farrington		12	11	Robt Auery	0	7	9
James Thorp		10	0	Jno Fisher	0	6	9
Jno Mason	0	12	9	Jno Gay iun^{r}	0	9	3
Jno Richards	0	13	9	Jededi Euerid	0	5	7
Nath Kingsbury	0	15	4	Edw Cook	0	4	5
Asah Smyth	0	6	3	Jno Rice ivn^{r}	0	3	11

Nath: Gay	0	14	7	Nath Hawes	0	3	11
Jn° Battely	0	8	1	Jn° Hunting	0	10	3
Samv Aldridg]	0	8	1	Vid Farrington	0	3	8
Jn° Falle	0	4	10	Vid Whiting	0	14	6
Jn° Pain	0	7	1	Tho ocington	0	3	11
Eph Willson	0	3	11	Vid Morse	0	0	6
Beni Oinion	0	5	5	Jona Gay	0	10	2
Timo Whiting	0	9	1	[187] Robt Ware	1	10	5
James Macknab	0	7	1	Jn° Homes	0	3	11
James Mackrorie	0	12	10	Matth Ston	0	4	6
Nell Mackiah	0	6	11	Isaa Chinery	0	4	3
Vid Heyward	0	8	2	Vid Euerid and Richd Puffer	0	7	5
Vid Joan Fisher	0	1	6				
Samv Barber	0	8	3	Doct Auery	0	10	0
James Grant	0	6	1	Henery Lane	0	3	11
Thos Clap	0	17	9	Dani Barnet	0	3	11
James fale ivnr	0	6	0	Jn° Hawes	0	5	6
Joseph Damond	0	3	11	Dani Bacon	0	3	11
Joshua Fisher	0	18	6	Nath: Richards	0	10	2
Jn° Ellic	0	4	10	Comfort Star	0	6	6
Jose Newbury	0	3	11	Jn° Bacon	0	5	4
Samv Rice	0	5	0	Willi Dean	0	5	0

30-11-1683 Assembled after lectur Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes

Joshua Fisher make A motion to exchange seuerall percills of Swamp that were Sometims his father Leift Fishers for another percill lying by the great pond neer his own land and Swamp: wherevpon Dea Alldis Sergt Ellic and Sergt Metcalfe are deputed to viw each of them and make their return

A bill is. given to Robt Ware to receive of the Constable two shillings in money and one shilling four penc in town pay he being so much ouer rated in the Countery and Town rates

A bill is given to John Pygg to receive of the Constable two shilings six penc for 2s–6d he paid to Samvell Sheeres for his work in the meeting hous

This day after lectur it was put to the vote of the freemen and inhabitants whether they did desir that Gour and company would defend their charter and previlidges so farr as they can this was (so farr as could be disarneds) vniversialy voted in the affirmitive

it being put to them if they wer willing wee should make a full submision and intire resignation to his majestys pleasur as in his declaration is intemated it was by all voted in the negetive

This day Nath: Bullard delivered to the Select men four shillings in money which he received of a Sudbuery man for meadow lett hime by sd

Nathanell lying neer Natick, which four shillings was forthwith paide to Dea Alldis as part of that forty shillings he lent the pprietors to pay William Nohodin

A bill is given to Robt Ware to receive of the constable 1s—9d in money, and one shiling seaven penc in corn pay, he being so much ouer rated in the countery and town rates.

A Bill is giuen to Mr Richard Hinchman to receive of the constable four pounds in money which is due to hime for the last year 82-83-

27-12-1683 Assembled after lectur Ensi Fuller Sergt Metcalfe Dea Aldis Willi Auery Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Nath: Stearnes

Nath: Colburn Senr is chosen Sealer for the year insueing

Men chosen to burn the woods are as followeth, for the East Streete Samvell Euerid for the midle and Smooth Plaine Henery Willson and Jno Battely for the Iland Side Andrew Dewing

Men appointed to vew fences are as foloweth for the west end of the Town to the Elders lane and the ordnary Nath: Gay and Daniell Fisher. for the East End James Thorp Jno Richards for the Great Plain and School ground Thos Aldridg Nath Bullard and Joseph Wight. for all the rest of the fields on the North sid of the river beyond the Iland Canswey Nath Chickring Nath: Richards for the fieldes on the south sid of the river between meadfield way and Natick. Thos Batteley and Thos Fisher. for all those fieldes between meadfield way and Dorchester Line Samuell Gay and Jno Euerid. for the Low Plain and Roxbury Plain Josia Fisher and Timo Whiting

Joseph Dammond have Liberty to take Timber vpon the commons for A frame of 20 foot Square to put barke in

[138] A bill is given to Deacon Alldis to receive of the Constable two Shillings in money for his charges the Last Sessiones of the Generalle Court

it is agreed that Mr hinchman leave of keepeing Schooll when this present year is vp for the Space of Six months and attend it againe at the end of Saide term

11. 1-1684 at A meeting of the proprietors it was put to vote whether they would have a deuidant of Land laide out of one acre and A halfe to A common according to a vote they passed 10-1-78

8-2-1684 Assembled Ensign Fuller Deacon Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe Willi Auery Nath: Stearnes

We haveing notic from the select men of Watertown to send men to joyn with theirs to new mark the line between them aud vs we have made choise of and doe appoint Ensi Fuller John Fuller and Nathanell Gay to attend the seruic

the men chosen to new mark the line between Dedham and Meadfield and Dedham and Mendon and Dedham and Wrentham are Sergt Ellic Sergt Metcalfe & Danj Wight

30-2-1684: Assembled after giveing in votes for Elections Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes

We vnderstanding that the Indians at Natick lay claime to part of our land on each side of the river, as it was stated by the commitee appointed by the generall Court, and being informed that Peter Woodward Sen^{o} have as he conceive som rememberanc of the lines between the town and Natick we doe therfor desir s^{d} Peter Woodward to repair thether whensoeuer he shall finde himeselfe in the best capasity, and have allso desired and deputed Ensi Tho Fuller and Serg^{t} Richard Ellic to attend him whenever they (from hime) shall have notic so to doe, and desir that they will give the town the best information in the case they can

further we desir and deput Nath: Stearnes to Serch the Country records for the return of the Commitee aboue saide and procure a copy of it, if it be to be found

A bill is given to Mr Richard hinesman to receive of the late constable twenty two pounds (vizt) fiveten pounds in corn pay and seaven pounds in money as part of his sallary for keepeing schooll) this bill aboue to Mr Hinchman was never put into ye constables hands, but y^{t} to which there is 3^{lb} added in the lower end of this page

6-4.1684 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Aldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery Nath: Stearnes

To make the halfe rate in money acording to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the Tresurer

We vnderstanding that there is A necesity of A high way to the houses of James Vales and Josia Fisher and that at present ther is no way laide out there we doe therefor appoint and impower Nath: Colburn Sener Thos Aldridg and John Fuller to be A Commitee to lay out the saide way at the first opertunity with as lettle preieduce to the Town or to perticuler persons as may be

A Bill is given to Mr Richard Hinchman to receive of the constables 15^{lb} in corn pay and ten pounds in money due to him for keeping Schoole

[139] A rate made wherein Each inhabitant is assesed at one halfpeny in the pound in money, for the defreying Contry Charges according to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the Tresurer

	s	d		s	d
Eld Jno Hunting	0	10	Ensi Tho Fuller	3	9
Capt Fishers Estate	2	0	Decon Jno Alldis	3	1
Jno Gay sen^{r}	1	6	Nath. Stearnes	2	1
Edw Richards	4	0	Serg^{t} Richard Ellic	2	9
Nath: Colburn sen^{o}	5	5½	Serg^{t} Danj Pond	2	8
Cornit Timo Dwight	7	1½	Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	2	11

Serg^{t} Jn° Fairbank	4	7	Jn° Fuller	3	7
Robt Fuller	1	8	Jona Fuller	1	5
Robt Ware	5	5	Jn° Farrington	2	9½
Tho Paine Sen°	2	2½	Nath Colburn ivn	2	4½
Tho Herring	3	4	Jn° Colburn	2	3½
Tho Battely	3	7	Amos Fisher	1	5
Pet Woodward	4	8½	Richard Puffer	1	7
Hen Willson	1	0½	Josia Fisher	2	4
Tho Jordin	1	11½	Richard Puffer and Vid Euerid	1	7
Nath Bullard	1	6½			
James Thorp	2	2	Tho Clap	3	8
Jona Fairbank	3	7	Jn° Gay	2	0
Samvell Gay	3	4	Jna Gay	2	2½
Nath: Gay	3	2	Jn° Fisher	1	5½
Tho Aldridg	3	4	Timo Whiting	1	11½
Willi Auery	3	3	Jn° Dean	1	7
Robt Auery	1	8	Willi Dean	1	4
Jona Auery	2	2	Jn° Pain	1	6
Tho Fisher	2	1	Tho Pain jun°	1	0
Edw Hawes	2	0½	Ralph Day	2	2½
Ezra Morse	2	5	Benj Mills	2	0½
Samvell Givld	2	9	Samvell Barber	1	9½
Samuill Mills	2	4	Jn° Bacon	1	7½
Jn° Eaton	1	10	Vid Whiting	3	3
Jn° Richards	3	0	Vid Farrington	0	9½
Jn° Rice Sen°	2	2	Vid Heywards Estate	1	9
Jn° Euerid	2	6	[140] Vid Esther Fisher	0	6
Jn° Pigg	2	4	Vid Bacon	1	5
Jn° Mason	3	3	Vid Bullard	1	9
James Falle Sen°	3	6	Vid Joan Fisher	0	4
Isaac Chinery Sen°	2	8	Vid Dewing	1	5
Nath Richards	2	2½	Vid Morse	0	1
Jn° Baker	2	2½	James Fale jun°	1	3½
Nath: Chickring	2	9	Vidgilenc Fisher	1	4
Joseph Wight	2	0	Jona Metcalfe	2	8
Joshua Fisher	3	7½	Jn° Smyth	2	8
Mr Joseph Bastard	1	9½	Jn° Battely	0	11½
Jn° Richards	3	0	Asahell Smyth	1	4
Danj Fisher	3	0	Jededi Euerid	0	11½
Elea Kingsbury	2	7½	Nath Firrington	1	7½
Nath Kingsbury	2	5½	Matth Stone	0	11½
Samvell Euerid	1	3½	Comfort Starr	1	1½
Michill Metcalfe	2	8	Andr Dewing	1	6

Ephr Willson	0	10	Edw Cook	1	0
Benj oynion	1	2	Jona Freeman	0	5½
Jn° Hawes	1	2	Jn° Rice jun°	0	10
Daniell Wight	1	10	Joseph Damond	0	10
Samvell Rice	1	1	Jn° Ellic	0	10½
Tho ocington	0	10	Isaac Chinery iun°	0	11
James Mackanab	1	6	Jn° Falls	1	0½
Jn° Mackintosh	1	8	Nath Hawes	0	10
James Grant	1	3	Jn° Homes	0	10
James Mackrorie	1	11	Henery Lane	0	10
Nell Mackia	1	5½	Daniell Bacon	0	10
Samvell Alldridg	0	11	Daniell Barne	0	10

Received of John Stone of Watertown ninten shillings in money of which eleuen shillings was forthwith paide to Ensi Fuller as part of what the town is indebted to hime, and eight shillings to Nath: Stearnes for his expences at the last Generall Court

16-4-84 Assembled after Trayning Ensi Fuller Serg^t^ Pond Serg^t^ Metcalfe Serg^t^ Ellic Nath: Stearnes

We being informed that Josias son the jndian Sacham lay claym to that tract of land lying betwen Dorchester line and Neponcit riuer neer about the sawmill and that he make tender of the said track to sale: we doe therfor desir and appoint Serg^t^ Richard Ellic to search the records and so if anything may be found to clear Dedhams title to the saide land and make retvrn at the first opertvnity.

Serg^t^ Metcalfe William Auery and Samvell Giuld are chosen and impowred to lay out the highway between the new bridg and the great playn

A bill is given to Serg^t^ Ellic to receive of the constable 12^s^ in rate pay for his labour in new marking the bound lines between Dedham and Meadfield and Mendon and Wrentham

29-6-84 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Aldis Serg^t^ Pond Serg^t^ Metcalfe William Auery & Nath: Stearnes wth Thos battely Comisioner to take the bills of estat and to prepare them for the Sheir meeting according to law

A bill is giuen to Isaac Chinery to receiue of the constable thirten shilings and a peny, he being so much in seuerall rates formerly ouer rated

A bill is given to Nath Kingsbury to receiue of the constable 2^lb^—10^s^ for his work in the meeting house

January 1. 1684. Received of the deacon in part (& undertaken by him for the rest) the sum̃e of sixty pounds in money, for ye town of Dedham, for ye year beginning 15. 10. 1681 & ending 15. 10. 1682. by me

William Adams

Ezra Morse moues that he may take vp four or five acres of land vpon the present deuedant account neer to his own dwelling House

[141] Assembled 8. 10. 1684 Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe and Nath Stearnes To make the Contery rate

A rate made to defrey country charges wherin each inhabitant is assesed at two penc per pound according to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the tresurer the one halfe to be paide in money and the other halfe in corne

	£	s	d				
Elder Hunting	0	3	11	Jno Rice Senr	0	6	0
Jno Gay sen^{r}	0	5	9	Jno Euerid	0	10	6
the Estat of Edw Richards		16	2	Jno Pyg	0	6	11
Nath Colbvrn sen^{r}	0	16	8	Jno Fuller	0	13	11
Corn^{t} Timo Dwight	1	1	8	Jno Mason	0	16	10
Ensi Tho Fuller	0	14	4	Jona Battely	0	4	8
Dea Jno Alldis	0	14	11	Jno Hunting	0	9	8
Serg^{t} Richd Ellic	0	7	4	James fale sen^{r}	0	13	0
Serg^{t} Dani Pond	0	15	2	Isaac Chenery sen^{r}	0	11	0
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	0	11	6	Nath Richards	0	7	6
the Estate of Jno Fairbank		18	4	Jno Baker	0	7	4
Robt Ware	0	19	6	Nath Chickring	0	10	5
Robt Fuller	0	5	1	Joseph Wight	0	9	6
Nath: Stearnes		8	1	Joshua Fisher	0	10	3
Tho Paine sen^{r}		4	3	Danj fisher	0	13	4
Thos Herrings Estate		14	4	Elea Kingsbury	0	13	9
Thos Battely	0	6	9	Samu Euerid	0	5	10
Pet Woodward	0	14	5	Michill Metcalfe	0	10	4
Henry Willson		1	8	Jona Fuller	0	9	4
Thos Jordin	0	7	1	Jno Farrington	0	11	11
Nath Bullard	0	7	3	Nath Colburn ivn^{r}	0	8	8
James Thorp	0	5	2	Jno Colburn	0	7	0
Jona Fairbank	0	11	7	Amos Fisher	0	6	6
Samv Gay	0	12	11	Richard Puffer	0	13	
Thos Aldridg	0	15	8	Josi Fisher	0	10	1
Willi Auery	0	11	9	Tho Clap	0	14	8
Robt Auery	0	6	8	Jno Gay Junr	0	7	6
Jona Auery	0	4	6	Jona Gay	0	7	11
Tho Fisher	0	8	9	Jno Fisher	0	7	1
Edw Hawes	0	8	4	Timo Whiting	0	7	8
Ezra Morse	0	11	1	Jno Dean	0	6	7
Samv Givld	0	10	0	Willi Dean	0	6	5
Samv Mills	0	8	6	Jno Paine	0	4	9
Jno Eaton	0	6	5	Tho Paine jun^{r}	0	3	10
Jno Richards	0	11	5	Ralph Day	0	8	5

Benj Mills	0	8	5	Eph Willson	0	2	3
Samv Barber	0	7	0	Benj oinion	0	4	7
Jn° Bacon	0	11	5	Jn° Hawes	0	3	0
Vid Whiting	0	11	8	Dani Wight	0	6	10
Vid Farrington	0	0	9	Samv Rice	0	4	9
Ralph Freman	0	7	2	James Macknab	0	6	0
Nath Gay	0	9	9	James Grant	0	5	7
Nath Kingsbury	0	13	6	James Mackrora	0	6	11
Jona Metcalfe	0	9	10	Nell Mackia	0	5	8
Vid Fisher	0	2	0	Samv Aldridg	0	4	10
Vid Bacon	0	3	5	Edw Cook	0	4	2
Vid Bullard	0	0	9	Jona Freeman	0	4	11
Vid Mors	0	0	6	Jn° Ric ivn^{r}	0	3	8
James fale jvn	0	6	2	Joseph Damond	0	3	4
Vidgi Fisher	0	1	9	Jn° Ellic	0	4	5
Jn° Smyth	0	9	1	Isaac Chinery ivn^{r}		0	8
Jn° Battely	0	3	2	Nath Hawes	0	3	4
Ashell Smyth	0	5	0	Jn° Homes	0	3	4
Jededi Euerid	0	5	2	Danj Bacon	0	4	7
Nath Farrington		4	0	Danj Barnne	0	3	4
Mathth Stone	0	3	9	Samv Bullard	0	7	0
Comfort Star	0	8	1	Jn° Mackintosh	0	5	10
Andr Dewin	0	7	0	Samv Sheers	0	3	4
Henery Lane	0	3	4	Samv Colburn	0	4	9
Daniell Owin		3	4	Ephr Ware	0	5	10
Jona Dewin	0	10	2				

[142] Paide in money to the Glassier for mending the Glass in the meeteing house windows one pound two Shillings which money was borrowed of Dea Alldis

Received of Ezra Clap ten Shillings in money which was due to the Town for rent of their marsh at Dorchester mill. and was forthwith delivered vnto Dea alldis as part of that 1^{lb} 2^{s} he lent the Town to pay for mending the Glass in the meeting house

Jn° Dean have liberty to take Timber of the Commons to fenc in his land neer South Brook with A thre raile fenc.

22—10—84 A bill is given to Joshva Fisher to receive of the Constables John Euerit and John Dean two pounds Seaven Shillings in corn pay for entertainment of the inhabitants at their generall meetings and for Select mens Diet

15th Decemb· 1684 Assembled Ensi Tho Fuller Dea Jn° Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes

A bill is given to Edward Hawes to receive of the Constable ten Shillings out of the town rate for lookeing after the boyes in the meeting house

This Day the Seruueyers brought in their bill of those that have wrought in the highwayes.

Reaconed with Daniell Fisher and John Farrington late Constables and there remaine Due from them to ye Town to ballanc the account vpon the last Town rate Decemb 1683 (they paying all the bills now reconed for wth Mr Hinchmay bill) thre pounds in corn pay and and one pound fourten Shillings eight penc in money and in this reaconing we have paid that two pound eight penc due from the Town to them in the last reaconing Due to ye Town 1^lb^ 14^s^ 8^d^ in money 3lb—0—0 corn

22 Decemb 1684 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Serg^t^ Pond and Nath: Stearnes.

A bill is given to Dea. John Alldis to receive of the Constables two pounds eight Shillings in money, for money he, s^d^ Dea Alldis lent the Town at Seuerall times

A bill is given to Nath Stearnes to receive of the Constables one pound two Shillings four penc for his expences at Seuerall Sessions of the Generall Court

there is due from the Town to Nath Kingsbury two pound ten Shillings for his work in the meeting house and to Joshua Fisher two pounds eight Shillings for entertaining the Town at the Generall meeting and for Select mens dyet and to Nath Stearnes thre pound for his Seruic at

	lb	s	d
Generall Court So that vpon the balanc of acounts the Town is credetor in money	06	11	6
and debtor in town pay	7	18	0

besides what will be due to the Schoollmaster for this present halfe year

To be proposed to the propritors at the Generall meeting

1 Whether they will appoint A commite to treet with William Nehodin concerning that tract of land neer the vper Saw mill which the indians say is not yet purchised

2 Whether they will appoint men to Se to the Stating of the line between Dedham and Natack when the commete appointed by the Generall court Shall attend it

[143] To be proposed to the Town whether they judg it meet to alter the way of raiseing the Schoolmasters Sallary

1. 11. 1684. Received of Deacon Aldis (& partly undertaken by him for the payment of) sixty pounds in mony upon ye account of ye town of Dedham, for ye year beginning 15. 10. 1682 & ending 15. 10. 1683

by me William Adams

Att A Generall meeting of the inhabitants 1. 11. 1684 when the pprieters wer allso present

in answer to the first pposition the pprietors leave the care of that case to the Select men now to be chosen

in answer to the Seacond proposition the proprietors have made choice of Ensi Thos Fuller Cornit Timo Dwight Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Thos Batteley Serg^{t} Pond Nath: Bullard Jno Fuller and Thos Alldridg or the Major part of them to attend the commite chosen by the Generall Court to Settle the line between Dedham and Natick and to give them the best information they can where the line was formerly Stated: allso these men aboue named are impowered to call in Such persons (as can give in Testimony concerning the Stateing of the s^{d} line formerly) at the proprietors charge

the proportioning of the R^{d} Pasters Sallary is left to the Select men now to be chosen: according to rulles formerly acted by in that case: and not only by the rulle of the country rate

Elections are as followeth. Nath: Stearnes is chosen Town Recorder. and to be one of the Select men: Ensi Thos Fuller Dea Jno Alldis Serg^{t} Richard Ellic Serg^{t} Dani Pond Serg^{t} Thos Metcalfe and Willi Auery are chosen Select men Nath Bullard Ezra Morse Thomas Fisher and John Fuller Are chosen Sirveyors

in answer to the proposition to the Town concerning the way of raiseing the Schoolmasters Sallery, the Town have appointed A commite to draw vp some ꝑpositions in what way to raise Saide Sallary and present them to the Town at ye meeting in march when they are to give in their votes for nomination of maiestrats which day is appointed for A Generall Town meeting

The Comitte chosen are Ensi Thos Fuller Serg^{t} Danj Pond and James Thorp

The Town by vote declare that they desir the Select men to giue notic to Mr Hinchman Schoolmaster to desist and leave of keeping Schooll at the End of this present halte year.

This day the proprietors manifast themselves to be dissatisfyed with the agreement made between the Selectmen on the behalfe of the Town and Peter Woodward on 22.th 11. 83 and by their vote doe declare that the first and Second article of that agreement Shall be void and of non efect

The question being put to the Town whether they will Nominat persons to End Small cases and present them to the court for y^{r} Approbation voted in the Affirmetive the persons chosen are Ensi Thos Fuller Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Nath Stearnes

[144] 12-11-1684 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes to ꝑportion the pasters Sallary

This Day Beni oinion moues that he may have Satisfaction for one acre of Swamp taken out of his Swamp that the Cavnswey is made through which he never had any Satisfaction for it is therefor agreed: and the Commete appointed to lay out the present devidant are ordered, to lay out to said benjeman two acres of vpland together with his propotion in the present devidant which shall be full Satisfaction for that acre of Swamp aforsaide

this Day we being informed that Jona Metcalfe in fencing in land at South hill doe fenc so: as it like to be A preiedise to the high way leading to fowll meadow Dea Jn° Alldis Samv guild and Jn° Euerid are apointed A commete to Setle the s^d^ Jonathans line and new marke it: as it was at first laide out and to Se to the high way that it be not damnifyed

The Pasters Sallery the year begining 15 Decemb 1684 and ending 15 Decemb 1685

	lb	s	d			s	d
Jn° Gay Sen°	0	11	4	Jn° Rice Sen°	0	9	0
The Estat of Edw Richards	0	16	0	Jn° Richards	01	0	0
Nath Colburn Sen°	01	5	0	Jn° Euerid	0	13	1
Corn^t^ Timo Dwight	1	5	0	Jn° Pyg	0	12	9
Ensi Tho Fuller	1	2	1	Jn° Fuller	0	17	5
Dea Jn° Alldis	1	2	11	Jn° Mason	0	18	0
Serg^t^ Richard Ellic	0	14	0	Jona Batteley	0	5	10
Serg^t^ Dani Pond	0	18	0	Jn° Hunting	0	13	0
Serg^t^ Tho Metcalfe	0	16	0	James fale Sen°	0	16	3
The Estat of Serg^t^ Jn° farbank	1	2	11	Isaac Chinery	0	13	9
				Nath Richards	0	14	0
Robt Ware	1	4	5	Jn° Baker	0	9	2
Robt Fuller	0	10	6	Nath Chickring	0	10	0
Nath Stearnes	0	14	3	Joseph Wight	0	11	0
Tho Pain sen°	0	9	6	Joshva Fisher	0	16	0
Vid Herring	0	17	11	Dani Fisher	0	16	8
Tho Batteley	0	14	0	Elea Kingsbury	0	17	2
Pet Woodward	1	5	0	Samv Euerid	0	7	4
Henery Willson	0	5	0	Michi Metcalfe	0	13	0
Tho Jordin	0	12	11	Jona Fuller	0	12	0
Nath Bullard	0	11	10	Jn° Farrington	0	14	11
James Thorp	0	10	7	Nath Colburn	0	10	10
Jona Fairbank	0	14	0	Jn° Colburn	0	8	9
Samv Gay	0	16	2	Amos Fisher	0	9	0
Thos Aldridg	0	19	7	Richd Puffer	0	16	3
Willi Auery	0	17	0	Josi Fisher	0	11	0
Robt Auery	0	10	0	Thos Clap	0	18	4
Doct Jona Auery	0	9	9	Jn° Gay ivn°	0	10	0
Tho Fisher	0	10	0	Jona Gay	0	10	0
Edw Hawes	0	12	0	Jn° Fisher	0	9	0
Ezra Morse	0	15	0	Timo Whiting	0	8	0
Samv Guild	0	12	6	Jn° Dean	0	8	2
Samv Mills	0	10	7	Willi Dean	0	8	2
Jn° Eaton	0	11	0	Jn° Paine	0	6	0

Beni Mills	0	9	0	Jona Dewing	0	12	8
Thos Paine ivnr	0	4	10	Eph Willson	0	5	0
Ralph Day	0	11	0	Beni oinion	0	6	9
Jno Bacon	0	14	3	Jno Hawes	0	5	0
Samv Barber	0	7	0	Dani Wight	0	8	6
Vid Whiting	0	14	7	Samv Rice	0	5	11
Vid Farrington	0	1	0	James Mackanab		7	0
Ralph Freeman	0	7	0	James Grant	0	5	0
Nath Gay	0	12	2	James Mackrora	0	9	0
Nath Kingsbury	0	16	10	Nell Mackiah	0	7	1
Jona Metcalfe	0	12	3	Edw Cook	0	5	2
Vidgi Fisher	0	5	0	[145] Samv Aldridg	0	10	2
Vid Bacon	0	4	3	Jona Freeman	0	5	0
Vid Bullard	0	1	0	Jno Rice junr	0	5	10
Vid Morse	0	1	0	Joseph Damond	0	4	1
James Fale ivnr	0	6	0	Juo Ellic	0	4	0
Vid Fisher	0	2	6	Nath Hawes	0	4	2
Jno Smith	0	11	10	Isaac Chinery iuno	0	0	10
Jno Battely	0	6	0	Jno Homes	0	4	2
Ashell Smith	0	8	0	Dani Bacon	0	5	9
Jededi Euerid	0	6	5	Dani Barne	0	4	2
Nath Farrington		7	0	Samv Bullard	0	8	9
Comfort Star	0	10	1	Jno Mackintosh	0	9	0
Andr Dewing	0	8	9	Samv Colburn	0	5	11
Dani owin	0	4	2	Eph Ware	0	7	3

Ensi Fuller and Sergt Pond are desired and deputed to give notic to Mr Hinchman Schoollmaster to desist and Leave of keeping Schoolle at the end of this present halfe-year acording to the vote of the Town at their Last Generall meeting.

26–11–1684 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes to make the Town and Schooll rate

Received of John baker two pounds ten shillings in corn pay as A full discharge of what was due from hime to the Town when he was constable which two pounds ten Shillings is asigned to Nath: Kingsbury for his Seruic in the meeting house

A bill is given to Comfort Star to receive of the late Constables five Shillings in money which is due to hime vpon the account of land yt was Sold by order of the proprietores

A bill is given to Nath: Gay to receive of the Constables two Shillings in corn pay for new marking the line between Dedham and Watertown

A bill is given to William Auery to receive of the constable two Shillings and Six penc for A payer of cross garnits for the meeting house doore

Willi Auery informing the Selectmen that he have taken A boy vpon tryall intending to take hime for an apprentic if he likes hime. he is allowed to procede in his intended contract if he Shall Se meete So to doe

A rate made wherein each inhabitant is assesed at thre farthings in the pound one third to be paide in money and two thirds in corne to defrey Town charges and part of the Schooll masters Sallery and the other part is raised vpon the childrin as is here inserted

	lb	s	d											
Mr Willi Adams	0	0	0	0	2	0	Jno Richards	0	4	4	0	2	0
Eldr Jno Hunting	0	1	6				Jno Euerid	0	3	11	0	2	0
Jno Gay seno	0	2	2				Jno Pig	0	2	8	0	2	0
the Estate of Edw							[146] Jno Fuller	0	5	3			
Richards	0	6	0				Jona Fairbank	0	4	8	0	2	0
Nath Colburn seno	0	6	3				Jno Mason	0	6	6			
Cornt Timo Dwight	0	9	6	0	4	0	Jona Battely	0	1	9			
Ensi Thos Fuller	0	5	4				Jno Hunting	0	3	8	0	6	0
Dea Jno Alldis	0	5	10				James Falle Seno	0	4	10			
Sergt Richd Ellic	0	4	0				Isaac Chinery	0	4	1			
Sergt Dani Pond	0	5	9	0	2	0	Nath: Richards	0	3	6			
Sergt Thos Metcalfe	0	4	4	0	2	0	Jno Baker	0	3	6			
The Estate of Jno							Nath: Chickring	0	5	10			
Fairbank	0	6	10				Joshua Fisher	0	4	4			
Robt Ware	0	7	4				Joseph Wight	0	2	10			
Robt Fuller	0	1	10				Danj Fisher	0	5	0	0	2	0
Nath: Stearnes	0	3	0				Elea Kingsbury	0	5	1	0	4	0
Thos Paine seno	0	1	7				Samv Euerid	0	2	3			
Vid Herring	0	5	4				Mich Metcalfe	0	3	10	0	4	0
Thomas Batteley	0	2	6				Jno Colburn	0	2	7			
Pet Woodward	0	6	1	0	2	0	Jona Fuller	0	3	6			
Henery Willson	0	0	7				Jno Farrington	0	4	6	0	2	0
Thos Jordin	0	2	8				Nath: Colburn	0	3	3	0	2	0
Nath: Bullard	0	3	3				Jno Colburn	0	2	7		4	0
James Thorp	0	1	10	0	2	0	Amos Fisher	0	2	6			
Samv Gay	0	4	8	0	2	0	Richd Puffer	0	4	10			
Thos Alldridg	0	5	11				Josia Fisher	0	3	9	0	2	0
Willi Auery	0	4	4	0	2	0	Tho Clap	0	5	9			
Thos Fisher	0	3	3				Jno Gay iuno	0	2	10			
Edw Hawes	0	3	1				Jona Gay	0	3	0			
Ezra Morse	0	4	0	0	4	0	Jno Fisher	0	3	4			
Samu Givld	0	3	9	0	4	0	Timo Whiting	0	2	10	0	2	0
Samv Mills	0	3	2				Jno Dean	0	2	5	0	2	0
Jno Eaton	0	2	5	0	4	0	Willi Dean	0	2	4			
Jno Rice Seno	0	3	2				Jno Paine	0	2	1			

Ralph Day	0	3	2				Eph Willson	0	0	10					
Benj Mills	0	3	1	0	4	0	Benj oinion	0	1	10					
Thoᵉ Paine junᵒ	0	1	5				Jnᵒ Hawes	0	2	0					
Jnᵒ Bacon	0	4	3				Samv Rice	0	1	9					
Samv Barber	0	2	6				James Maknab	0	2	3	0	2	0		
Vid Farrington	0	0	3				James Mackrora	0	2	6	0	4	0		
Ralph Freeman	0	2	8				James Grant	0	2	0					
Nath: Gay	0	3	0	0	2	0	Nell Mackiah	0	2	1					
Nath Kingsbury	0	5	1	0	4	0	Edw Cook	0	1	7					
Vidgi Fisher	0	0	8	0	2	0	Samv Aldridg	0	1	9					
Jona Metcalfe	0	3	8	0	6	0	Jona Freeman	0	1	10					
Vid Bacon	0	1	3	0	2	0	Jnᵒ Rice jvnᵒ	0	1	4					
Vid Bullard	0	0	3	0	0		Joseph Damond	0	1	3					
James Falle junᵒ	0	2	4				Jnᵒ Ellic	0	1	7					
Vid Fisher	0	0	9				Nath Hawes	0	1	3					
Jnoᵒ Smyth	0	3	4				Jnᵒ Homes	0	1	3					
Jnᵒ Battely	0	1	3				Danj Bacon	0	1	10					
Asahell Smyth	0	2	3	0	2	0	Danj Barnne	0	1	3					
Jededi Euerid	0	1	11				Samv Bullard	0	3	1					
Nath: Farrington	0	2	5				Jnᵒ Mackintosh	0	2	2					
Comfort Star	0	3	0				Samv Colburn	0	1	9					
Andr Dewing	0	2	7				Eph Ware	0	2	2					
Danj owing	0	1	3				Abigaill Euerid	0	0	0	0	2	0		
Jona Dewing	0	3	10												
Dani Wight	0	2	7					2	2	17		9			

[147] Assembled 21-feb-1684 Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Sergᵗ Pond Sergᵗ Metcalfe Willi Auery Nath: Stearnes

Doct Jona Auery demands Satisfaction for the way through his land to the mill: and the Satisfaction he demands is Six Shillings a yeare in money for Six yeares last past, and ten Shillings A yeare for time to come So long as the Town Shall Se meet to make vse of the Saide way

to this aboue Said demand the Select men wave giveing any answer vntell the 10th of march next which is the day appointed for A generall Town meeting

men appointed to vew fences are as followeth vizᵗ for the west end of the Town to the Elders lane and the ordnary Thomas Battely and Nath: Kingsbury for the east end of the Town to the elders lane and the ordnary James Thorp and Asahell Smyth for the great plaine and Schooll ground John Baker Joseph Wight and Comfort Star for the rest of the fieldes on the North side of Charles riuer beyond the Iland Cansway Thomas Alldridg and John Gay junor. for those fieldes between Charles riuer and Meadfield way John Fisher and Jonathan Gay for those fieldes between Meadfield way and

Dorchester line John Pigg and John Hunting for the Low Plain and Roxbury Plain Peter Woodward and Ezra Morse

men appointed to burn the woods are as followeth. vizt for the East Street John Euerid for the midle plaine and the Smooth Plain Thomas Fisher and John Battely for the Iland Andrew Dewin and Edward Cook

Nath: Colburn Sen^o is Chosen Sealer for the year insueing

A bill is given to Nath: Stearnes to receive of the Constable thre pounds in corn pay for his Seruic at generall Court and four Shillings for wrighting in the Town book Entering four rates

A bill is given to Nath: Stearnes to receive of the Constable thre Shillings in money for his charges at the last Sessions of the generall ccurt in January 84

this day the wife of John Hunting came to the Select men and informed that Abigall lettlefield her time is out with them and that they are not willing to keepe her any longer and therfor desir that the Towne will take care and dispose of her. but the Select men do not Se reason to act any thing therein but leave it to the concideration of the Town in their meeting 10 march next the wife of Jno hunting also informes that they have Hiered A maide sereuent and desir the approbation of the Select men

[148] Att A generall meeting of the inhabitants 10-1-168$\frac{5}{4}$

This Day the commite chosen the 1-11-84 to consider of Some jvst and Eqviall way, wherby to raise the Schoollmasters Sallary did present their thouts in Seuerall queries or propositions which being Seueraley Scaned and considered the inhabitants did vote as foloweth vizt

1 that the one halfe of the Schooll charges as well for quality as quantity Shall be raised vpon the ratable Estate of our inhabitants whether neerer to the Schoole or further of

2 that all such persons as dwell within one mile and A quarter from the School haveing male childrin Shall pay for Each Such child five Shillings A year from Six years old to twelve years old

3 that those that dwell within two miles and A halfe of the Schoole, and beyond the mile and quarter: Shall pay two Shillings Six penc A year for their male childrin from Seaven years old to twelve years old

4 that gramer Scholeres Shall be rated and pay to the Schoole five Shillings p head mor, then English Scholers that dwell within A mile and quarter of the schoole.

5 that those inhabitants that dwell mor then two miles and A halfe from the Schoole Shall be freed from all charge of rates vpon their childrins heades for the Schoole vntel they Shall receive benifit therby, and then Shall be rated and pay as those within A mile and quarter: allwayes prouided that such childrin be taken care of, so as they be Sufitiantly taught to read and wright

6 that the one halfe of the Schoole charge Shall be raised vpon the heads of childrin according to those rules of proportion aboue mentioned

John Hunting came this day to the Town and informed them that his maide seruent Abigaill lettlefield her time being out with hime desirs to be discharged of her and that the Town will take care of and provide for her

To which the Town Answer that he tooke her into his family and into ye Town contrary to an express order and (not only without) but contrary to the mindes and concuranc of the Select men therin as by the record doe apear, and therefor doe conceive, that legaly the trouble and charge of the Saide maide will fale vpon hime selfe raythe then vpon the Town. but neuertheless the Town vpon consideration of the case are willing to doe as much or mor then they doe Judg is incumbant on them to doe. and therefor have agreed and voted as foloweth vizt that Abigaill lettlefield Shall Still continv with her master John Hunting for the year insueing and that they will allow him four pounds in current country pay for his care and charg that year

The Town by vote declare that the Horse way through Doct Jona Auery his lott Shall be wholy Laide down for the time to come and only A foot way to the mill be maintained there

it was allso voted to lay down the Horse way through Serg^t^ Ellic his Lott to Ezra Morse his mill and that there shall be only A footway there. but these persons vnder named have entered their discent to this last vote aboue writen

Nathanell Gay, Ezra Morse, Daniell Fisher, John Gay, Thomas Fisher, Nathanell Chickring, Asahell Smyth, Joshua Fisher, Samvell Gay, Jonathan Gay, Thomas Hall

The Town by vote declare that notwithstanding the vote they pased 1-11-84 in refferanc to the present Schoolmaster yet they now leave it to the Select men to agree with hime for another year if they Shall Se cavse

Amos Fisher moues to the proprietors for a Small percill of rockey land lying adjoyning to his land beyond the house of Henery Willson for y^e^ Shortning of his fenc in takeing in his own Land wherevpon Serg^t^ Pond Nathanell Bullard and Thomas Alldridg are apointed and empowred to vew the Saide percill and to agree wth Saide Amos of A prise for Saide Land

[149] 13-1-168$\frac{5}{4}$ Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Serg^t^ Pond Serg^t^ Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes to make the County rate

A rate made according to the County Courts order and warrant from the County Tresurer wherein each inhabitant is assesed at one peney p pound to be paide in money

	lb	s	d				
Eld^r^ Jno Hunting	0	1	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	Edw Richard Estate	0	8	1
Jno Gay Sen^o^	0	2	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nath Colburn sen^o^	0	8	4

corn^{t} Timo Dwight	0	11	9	½	Nath: Richards	0	4	8	½
Dea Jno Alldis	0	7	5	½	Jno Baker	0	3	8	
Ensi Thos Fuller	0	7	2		Joseph Wight	0	4	9	
Serg^{t} Richard Ellic	0	3	8		Nath Chickring	0	5	2	½
Serg^{t} Dani Pond	0	7	7		Joshua Fisher	0	6	1	
Serg^{t} Thos Metcalfe	0	5	9		Dani Fisher	0	6	8	
Jno Fairbanks Estate	0	9	2		Elea Kingsbury	0	6	10	½
Robt Ware	0	9	9		Samv Euerid	0	2	11	
Robt Fuller	0	2	6	½	Michill Metcalfe	0	5	2	
Nath Stearnes	0	4	0	½	Jona Fuller	0	4	8	
Tho Paine Senr	0	2	1	½	Jno Farrington	0	5	11	½
Vid Herring	0	7	2		Nath Colburn jun^{r}	0	4	4	
Thos Battely	0	5	0	½	Jno Colburn	0	3	6	
Peter Woodward	0	8	2	0	Amos Fisher	0	3	3	
Henery Willson	0	0	10		Richd Puffer	0	6	6	
Thos Jordin	0	3	6	½	Josia Fisher	0	5	0	½
Nath: Bullard	0	4	7		Thos Clap	0	7	4	
James Thorp	0	2	7		Jno Gay ivn^{r}	0	3	9	
Jona Fairbank	0	6	9		Jona Gay	0	3	11	½
Samv Gay	0	6	5	½	Jno Fisher	0	4	6	
Thos Alldridg	0	7	10		Timo Whiting	0	3	10	
Willi Auery	0	5	10	½	Jno Dean	0	3	3	½
Robt Auery	0	3	4	0	Willi Dean	0	3	2	½
Doct^{r} Jona Auery	0	2	3		Jno Pain	0	2	4	½
Thos Fisher	0	4	4	½	Thos Pain ivn^{r}	0	1	11	
Edw Hawes	0	4	2	0	Ralph Day	0	4	2	½
Samv Guild	0	5	0		Benj Miles	0	4	2	½
Ezra Morse	0	5	6	½	Samv Barber	0	3	6	0
Samv Miles	0	4	3		Jno Bacon	0	5	8	½
Jno Eaton	0	3	2	½	Nath Kingsbury	0	6	9	
Jno Richards	0	5	8	½	Ralph Freeman	0	1	11	
Jno Rice Senr	0	3	0		Samv Bullard	0	3	6	
Jno Euerid	0	5	0		Jona Metcalfe	0	4	11	
Jno Pigg	0	3	5	½	Vid Fisher	0	1	0	
Vid Whiting	0	5	10		Vid Bacon	0	1	8	½
Vid Farrington	0	0	4	½	Vid Bullard	0	0	4	½
Nath Gay	0	4	10	½	Vid Morse	0	0	3	
Jno Fuller	0	6	11	½	James fale ivn^{r}	0	3	1	
Jno Mason	0	8	5		Vidgi Fisher	0	0	10	
Jon^{o} Battely	0	2	4		Jno Smyth	0	4	6	½
Jno Hunting	0	4	10		Jno Battely	0	1	7	
James Fale Sen^{o}	0	6	6		Asahell Smith	0	2	6	
Isaac Chinery	0	5	6		Jededi Euerid	0	2	7	

Nath: Farrington	0	2	0	Edw Cook	0	2	1
Comfort Starr	0	4	0 ½	Jona Freeman	0	2	5 ½
Andr Dewin	0	3	6	Jn° Rice iun^{r}	0	1	10
Dani owing	0	1	8	Joseph Damond	0	1	8
Jona Dewin	0	5	1	Jn° Ellic	0	2	2 ½
Eph Willson	0	1	1 ½	Isaac Chinery	0	0	4
Benj oinion	0	2	3 ½	Nath: Hawes	0	1	8
Jn° Hawes	0	1	6	Jn° Homes	0	1	8
Dani Wight	0	3	5	Dani Barnes	0	1	8
Samv Rice	0	2	4 ½	Jn° Mackintosh	0	2	11
James Macknab	0	3	0	Samv Colburn	0	2	4 ½
James Grant	0	2	9 ½	Eph Ware	0	2	11
James Mackrora	0	3	5 ½	Vid Whiting	0	0	0
Nell Mackia	0	2	10	Dani Bacon	0	2	3 ½
Samv Alldridg	0	2	5				

[150] Att A meeting of the propritors 23-1:168$\frac{5}{4}$

The proprietors by vote declare that they desir that some may be apointed and impowred to Treat Josias the indian Sachem conserning that percell or tract of Land lying on the South Side of Neponseit river within our Line and to make purchise of it vpon as Easy termes as may be, as allso to Endevour A conformation of our title to all our land lying between Charles river & Dorchester Line and to that End have deputed and Empowred these five men vnder named to treat and act for them accordingly Ensi Thos Fuller Serg^{t} Ellic, James Thorp, John Euerid. Nath: Stearnes

Wheras ther hath bin by the Consent and order of the proprietors Land both given, and allso Sold to Seuerall persons for money, both formerly and of late, and non of the proprietors did enter their desent therfrom, yet notwithstanding Least there Should be any that are dissatisfyed, and claime interest in those lands

The proprietors doe therefor now agree and declare, that if there be any dissatisfied with those gifts or sales of land, and will bring and lay down to the Select men their proportions of the money which the land was sold for: between this and the first of may next Ensuing that it may be returned to the proprietors, that then they shall have their proportions in land, and shall have it laide out to them in such place or places as Shall be judged (by A comittee appointed for that purpos) Equiall with those lands that are so giuen and Sold. Allways to be vnderstood. that this agreement and declaration conserning lands given and Sold looke no further back then to that which was Sold to raise the 100^{lb} for our R^{d} Paster. The comittee chosen and impowred to Satisfy any So apearing as aboue Saide are Ensi Fuller Serg^{t} Ellic and Serg^{t} Pond.

This Day takeing notic of Som diferanc between Samvell Gay and the

Excecetors to the Estate of Serg^{t} Fairbank deceased refering to A percill of meadow at fowll meadow Somtimes Laide out to Serg^{t} fairbank afor s^{e}, at the End of Samvll Gays meadow there, the proprietors considering that there might be Som Error in s^{d} grant and in love to peac that there may be no further diferanc between them doe agre and by there vote declare that the Excectetors afor s^{d} Shall lay down their claime in meadow there and Shall have Equiall Satisfaction in land or in meadow in Som conveneant place Els where and to that End have appointed and impowred Serg^{t} Richard Ellic and Serg^{t} Thos metcalfe to make them Satisfaction accordingly

The Commitee appointed to act for the proprietors, referring to Josias the jndian Sagamor, vnderstanding that the s^{d} indian intend not to come to Town at the time appointed, doe therfor desir and depute James Thorp to Speake with Mr Stoughton and Mr Dudly the indian his Gardians to apoint time and place and give notic to the indians conserned: and to vs, that the case may be brought to an issue.

30 march 85 Assebled after Training Ensi Fuller Serg^{t} Elic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes

We having this Day notic from Roxbury men to appoint and send men to joyn with theirs to new mark the bound line between them and vs, we have accordingly appointed Serg^{t} Ellic Willi Auery and James Thorp to attend that Seruic

14 May-85. Assembled in ye euening Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond and Nath Stearnes. We being informed by Som of y^{e} ꝑprietors of the great plain that divers persons neglect to repaire their fences there: notwithstanding their contract and agreement So to doe which is like to be to the great damiage of others: we doe therfore desire and require the vewers of those fences to attend the trust comited to them to Efect: according to Law. and we the Select men doe ingage to doe what Euer is incum-
[151] bant on vs to doe that they may haue Satisfaction for their Labour and paines therein as the Law direct. and further we doe disir and appoint Nathanell Gay to Joine with the thre men formerly chosen to attend that Seruic

We being informed that diverss persons have peeled barke vpon the Town Commons notwithstanding the order to restrain them we have therefor appointed, and doe appoint and impower Nath: Bullard James Thorp John Euerid and Nath: Kingsbury all of them or any two, or any one of them to make Seezvr of any Such bark So peelled vpon the Town Commons and despose thereof for the vse of y^{e} ꝑprietors and these men aboue named Shall have the one halfe of s^{d} bark for thier Labour

18th may–85 the Select men vnderstanding that Nath: Bullard cannot attend the Seruic to which he was appointed by reason of the death of his mother have desired and appointed Nath: Stearnes to Joyn with Nath: Kingsbury James Thorp and Jno Euerid to attend the Same in his room

This Day the persons aboue named make their return: that they have bin in the woods and have Seen A considerable number of trees peeled, bvt did not Seize the bark So peeled, but did take an account of ye number of trees that were peeled and who they were that peeled them and gave in the names of the persons and the nvmber of the trees to the Select men

20th may 85 after the giveing in votes for election assembled jnsi Thos Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes

A bill is given to Samvell Colburn to receive of the constable ten Shillings for killing A woolfe

Joseph Wight have Liberty to take Timber upon the commons for two hundered railes and posts proportionable

Received of John Ston of Watertown 22th of may 85 fiveten Shillings in Silver for the vse of the Town, which fiveten Shillings was delivered to Nath: Stearnes for part of his expences at Generall Court

29 jun 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Serg^t^ Metcalfe William Auery and Nath: Stearnes to make A rate to defrey the charge in clearing the indian title and other disburssments

Samvell Euerid John Dean and John Fisher are appointed and empowred to yoak and ringe all Such Swine as they or any of them shall finde vnyoked or vnringed vpon the comons (their owneres neglecting or refuseing to doe it themselves) who shall be Satisfied for their paines as is prouided in the Town order made 5-12th-76—

26 August 85 Assebled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnet with Ezra Morse Comisioner to take the bills of estate and prepare them for the Sheir meeting according to Law.

This Day Mr Hinchman declares his earnest desir to be dismist from keeping the Schooll declareing that it would be very great detrement to hime to be holden longer in it, vnto which desir of his: after Serious concideration the Select men returned this Answer vizt that they were not willing to hold hime: it being So much to his damiage, but desired that he would continue in that work So long as he conneaniantly could: and further agreed to make A motion to James Thorp and to his son Peter that he (vizt) Peter would keepe Schooll in Mr Hinchmans Stead and desired and deputed Serg^t^ Metcalfe and Nath: Stearnes to treat with them vpon that account

[152] 14 Septembet 85 at A generall Town meeting after traineing it was proposed to the inhabitants whether they were willing that the Select men Should agree with Peter Thorp to keepe the Schooll to which they answer and declare by their vote that they are not willing

22 September Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^t^ Ellic Serg^t^ Pond Serg^t^ Metcalf Nath: Stearnes

This Day we made an agreement with Mr Holbrook to keepe the Schoolle and to teach Such childrin as come to reade and wright both English and Latin according to his abilety and their capasityes for the Space of

one halfe year absalutly: and so much longer after the halfe year is out as he can without damiage to hime Selfe and he is to begin the halfe yeare the fifth day of october which will end the fifth day of Aprill 86 for which Seruc that halfe year he is to receive Seaven pounds in corn pay and five pound in money, and so proportionabley for what time he Shall continve longer in that Seruic

A rate made wherein each proprietor is Assesed at 9d A cow common to defrey the charge of clearing the indian title and other disbursments to be paide in money forthwith

	s	d		s	d
Elder Huuting	6	9	Robt Avery	5	3
Jno Gay seno	8	7	Doct Avery	5	3
Ensi Fuler	7	9	Jno Richards	9	0
Dea Alldis	8	1	Nath Richards	6	4
Cornit Dwight	14	1	Asahell Smith	4	6
Sergt Ellic	3	9	Jno Smith	6	11
Sergt Metcalfe	5	7	Vid Whiting	6	9
Sergt Pond	3	4	Joseph and Benj Fairbank	9	11
Robt Ware	7	6	Elea Kingsbury	9	0
Robt Fuller	5	3	Jno Woodcock	4	5
Nath Gay	3	9	Vid Herring	4	6
Comfort Starr	3	11	James Thorp	6	4
Nath Chickring	9	1	Jno Firrington	5	5
Josia Fisher	4	10	Nath Farrington	1	6
Thos Battely	10	6	Thomas Pain Seno	4	6
Pet Woodward	14	5	Jno Hunting	3	0
Nath Bullard	4	1	Esther Fisher	6	0
Jno Eaton	6	4	Thos Jordin	3	6
Jno Euerid and Samv Euerid for their fathers rights	7	8	Samv Giuld	3	11
Nath Colburn seno	9	11	Vid Dewing & Andrew Dewing	3	9
Jno Mason	4	6	Jona Fuller	3	2
Samv Gay	2	3	Benj oinion	2	3
Samv Mills	3	9	Jno Dean	3	0
Jno Baker	3	9	Ralph Freeman	2	3
Ralph Day	6	1	Dani Wight	2	11
Hen Willson	5	0	Jno Rice	1	8
Jno Bacon	5	9	Joseph Wight	2	11
Edw Hawes	4	8	Jona Fairbank	2	10
The Church Lott	6	0	James Fall senr	2	3
Danj Fisher	6	0	James Mackanab	2	3
Willi Avery	7	6	Ezra Morse	0	9

Samv Bullard	1	6	Thos Aldridg	4	11
Thos Fisher	1	8	Nath Kingsbnry	3	11
Jno Pigg	3	0	Jno Fuller	4	6
Joshua Fisher	6	0	Amos Fisher	3	0
Thos Clap	1	6	John Fisher	2	3
Vidgi Fisher	1	6	Mr Danj Allin		
Mich Metcalfe	5	0	James Fale iunr		

[158] 26 octob 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Pond Sergt Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes to make A rate for the defreying the charge of our late Rr Paster his funerall

	s	d			
Elder Jno Hunting	0	5	Jno Euerid	1	2
Jno Gay Senr	1	0	Jno Pigg	1	3
Nath Colburn Senr	2	8	Jno Fuller	1	10
Cornit Timo Dwight	3	2	Jona Fairbank	1	3
Ensi Thos Fuller	2	5	Jno Mason	2	0
Dea Jno Alldis	2	5	Jona Battely	0	7
Sergt Richard Ellic	1	5	Jno Hunting	1	3
Sergt Danj Pond	2	0	James Falle Senr	1	10
Sergt Thos Metcalfe	1	6	Isaac Chinery	1	0
Sergt Samv Giuld	1	3	Nath Richards	1	10
Robt Fuller	0	7	Jno Baker	1	2
Robt Ware	2	4	Nath Chickring	1	2
Nath Stearnes	1	6	Beni Fairbank	0	9
Thos Pain Senr	0	10	Nath: Colbvrn Senr	2	8
Vid Herring	1	3	Dani Fisher	2	0
Thos Battely	1	1	Joshua Fisher	1	3
Pet Woodward	2	7	Joseph Wight	1	1
Henery Willson	0	9	Elea Kingsbury	1	5
Thos Jordin	0	10	James Thorp	1	6
Nath Bullard	1	4	Samv Giuld	0	0
Thos Clap	2	4	Michill Metcalfe	1	4
Samv Gay	1	8	Samv Euerid	0	9
Thos Alldridg	2	1	Jona Fuller	1	2
Willi Auery	1	6	Jno Colburn	0	11
Thos Fisher	1	0	Jno Farrington	1	4
Edw Hawes	1	6	Nath Colburn ivnr	1	2
Ezry Morse	1	3	Amos Fisher	1	3
Samv Miles	1	1	Richard Puffer	1	11
John Eaton	1	3	Josia Fisher	1	2
Jno Rice Senr	1	2	Jno Gay ivnr	1	1
Jno Richards	2	1	Jona Gay	1	2

Jn° Fisher	1	1	Comfort Starr	1	0
Timo Whiting	1	2	Andrew Dewing	1	1
Jn° Dean	0	7	Dani Wight	0	11
Willi Dean	0	9	Eph Willson	0	7
Jn° Pain	0	9	Jona Dewing	1	3
Ralph Day	1	3	Dani owing	0	5
Beni Mils	0	10	Beni oinion	0	7
Thos Pain ivnr	0	6	Jn° Hawes	0	7
Jn° Bacon	1	4	Samv Rice	0	7
Samv Barber	0	10	James Mackanab	0	9
Vid Farrington	0	3	James Mackrora	0	9
Ralph Freeman	0	9	James Grant	0	9
Nath Gay	1	2	Nell Mackiah	0	8
Nath Kingsbury	1	7	Edw Cook	0	7
Vidgi Fisher	0	3	Jn° Rice ivnr	0	5
Vid. Bacon	0	4	Joseph Damont	0	5
James Fale ivnr	0	9	Jn° Ellic	0	7
Vid Fisher	0	9	Nath Hawes	0	6
John Smyth	1	6	Jn° Homes	0	5
Jn° Battely	1	1	Dani Bacon	0	8
Asahell Smyth	0	11	Samv Bullard	0	11
Jededia Euerid	0	7	Jn° Mackintosh	01	2
Jona Auery	1	0	Samv Colburn	0	10
Robart Auery	1	3	Eph Ware	0	10
Jona Metcalfe	1	2	Dani Farrington	0	6
Nath Farrington	0	10	Isaac Chinery iunr	0	7

[154] The Select men being informed that there is no way to the church meadow but only by Suferanc have therfor deputed and impowred Ensi Fuller Sergt Ellic and Nath: Bullard to lay out A way to the Said meadow: as allso to take notic of what is necesery to be don in refferrenc to the fencing thereof and to make their return to the Select men.

there being yet money Due from John Dean to the proprietors for land sold hime: and he being backward in the payment therof: becavs as he Saith the proprietors of South hill doe challings part of that which he purchised therfor Nath: Stearns is desired to make dilegent Search in ye Town records to finde if there be any ground for Such A claime

29 octob 1685 Assembled in the Euening Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Sergt Ellic Sergt Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes

Nath: Stearnes make retvrn that he have made diligent Serch in the Town records and cannot finde any grant to the proprietors of South hill or to any one of them neer the land Sold to John Dean.

This Day Sergt Thos Metcalfe haveing 7 acres of land granted and

laide out to hime in the year 1682 and there being part of the Saide land lying on the North west Side of the high way leading to Josiah Fisher his House. he the Saide Thomas desire to lay Down that percill on the North Side of the way afore Saide and doe now resigne it vp to the vse of the Town: and desir that he may have Satisfaction in land Els where which is by the Select men Axcepted

30 Nouember 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller, Dea Alldis, Serg^{t} Ellic, Serg^{t} Pond, Serg^{t} Metcalfe, Willi Auery, & Nath Stearnes. To make the Country rate

A bill is given to Thomas Aldridg to receive of the Constable Six shillings out of the funerall rate in money for A bushell and halfe of mavlt

A Bill is given to Deacon Alldis to receive of the constable in money five shillings six penc for 12 pounds of suger A cord for the Coffin and for other Expences

A bill is given to Serg^{t} Pond to receive of the Constable out of the same rate Eight Shillings in money for the Coffin and work done about the Tomb

A Bill is given to Samvell Colburn to receive of the Constable Eight Shillings in money for his Journy and charges to Plimoth

A bill is given to Samvell Rice to receive of the constable Eight Shillings money for his Journy and charges to Ipswich

A bill is given to Elea Kingsbury to receive of John Farrington Late Constable Five Shillings in money for Five Shillings he expended of his own money in cleering with the tresurer for the rate made upon the wast Landes

Agreed to call A generall Town meeting to consider what incoriagment to give M^{r} bowles for his laboures amongst vs this winter and to consult other maters of publiqve consernment

[155] A rate made wherein each inhabitant is Assesed at A peney halfpeney p pound according to the Generall Courts order and warrant from the Treasurer, to be paide, one third part in money and two thirds in corn.

Eld Jno Hunting	2	6	Nath Stearnes	6	5
Jno Gay Senr	5	10	Thos Pain sen^{r}	5	7
Nath Colburn sen^{r}	13	3	Vid Herring	7	4
Corn^{t} Timo Dwight	11	7	Thos Battelle	4	0
Ensi Thos Fuller	12	0	Pet Woodward	13	5
Dea Jno Alldis	12	0	Hen Willson	2	0
Serg^{t} Richd Ellic	8	5	Thos Jordin	5	0
Serg^{t} Dani Pond	11	9	Nath Bullard	5	8
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe	8	6	Thos Clap	11	6
Serg^{t} Samv Givld	7	5	Samv Gay	9	10
Robt Fuller	3	5	Thos Alldridg	9	8
Robt Ware	14	4	Willi Auery	8	9

Robt Auery	7	5	Ralph Day	7	5
Doct Jona Auery	3	5	Beni Miles	5	9
Thos Fisher	5	10	Tho Pain ivno	3	0
Edw Hawes	6	1	Jno Bacon	7	10
Ezra Morse	7	6	Samv Barber	4	7
Samv Miles	6	2	Vid Farrington	1	3
Jno Eaton	5	0	Ralph Freeman	2	3
Jno Richards	12	5	Vid Fisher	1	6
Jno Rice Senr	4	6	Vid Bacon	1	11
Jno Euerid	7	2	Beni fairbank	4	4
Jno Pigg	7	7	Vid Barber	0	6
Jno Hunting	7	3	Nath: Gay	7	1
Jona Battelle	3	3	Nath Kingsbury	9	6
Vid Whiting	7	7½	Jona Metcalfe	6	11
James Herring	3	1	James Fale iunr	4	3
Jno Fuller	10	9	Vidgi Fisher	4	3
Jona Fairbank	5	6	Jno Smyth	9	0
James Fale Senr	10	8	Jno Battelle	6	1
Isaac Chinery Senr	5	7	Asahell Smith	5	2
Nath Richards	9	0	Jeded Euerid	3	5
Jno Baker	6	11	Nath Farrington	4	9
Dani Fisher	11	9	Comfort Starr	5	9
Nath Chickring	6	11	Andr Dewing	6	1
Joshua Fisher	5	5	Dani Wight	5	2
Joseph Wight	6	4	Jno Mason	11	8
Elea Kingsbury	8	6	Eph Willson	3	6
James Thorp	6	5	Jona Dewing	7	5
Samv Euerit	4	6	Dani owing	2	6
Mich Metcalfe	7	7	Beni oinion	3	6
Jona Fuller	7	0	Jno Hawes	3	4
Jno Colburn	5	0	Samv Rice	3	4
Jno Farrington	8	0	James Macknab	4	4
Nath Colburn	6	8	James Mackrora	4	6
Amos Fisher	7	1	James Grant	1	5
Richd Puffer	11	4	Nell Mackiah	4	0
Josia Fisher	6	10	Edw Cook	3	2
Jno Gay iunr	6	2	Jno Rice ivnr	2	6
Jona Gay	7	0	Joseph Dament	2	6
Jno Fisher	4	4	Jno Ellic	3	3
Timo Whiting	6	9	Nath Hawes	3	0
Jno Dean	4	10	Jno Homes	2	6
Willi Dean	4	5	Dani Bacon	3	8
Jno Pain	4	4	Samv Bullard	5.	5

Jn° Mackintosh	4	9	Isaac Chinery iun^{r}	3	6
Samv Colburn	5	0	James Thorp iun^{r}	2	6
Eph Ware	5	0	Dani Barnnee	2	6
Dani Farrington	2	11			

[156] 7 Decemb 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller, Dea Alldis, Serg^{t} Ellic, Serg^{t} Metcalfe, Serg^{t} Pond, Nath: Stearnes.

To be proposed at the Generall meeting, first, what incoriagment we will give Mr Bowles for his laboures amongst vs in the minestry this winter and how it Shall be raised

2 where he Shall be entertained

3 Whether the Town will Endevour to purchis the House that Mis Adams Dwell in, It being now to be Sold as we are informed.

4 Whether the Town will raise the Canswey at the letle river to Such A height as that carts may pass ordnerly without difecalty notwithstanding the water

Att A Generall meeting of the inhabitants 8th of Decemb 1685 in answer to the first proposition the Town by vote declare that they will allow Mr Bowles Twenty Shillings A Day for Euery Sabath Day y^{t} he shall labour amongst us

Mony without a paper freely giuen aboue proportion

it is further agreed and by vote declared that the money above mentioned for the minester and the charge of entertainment Shall be proportioned (as our Late R^{d} Pasters Sallery was) and put in to the box euery lords Day in papers by the inhabitants, and what euer money is put in loose without paper Shall be lookt vpon and accounted freely giuen and no part of their proportion.

it being put to the Town to chuse A Comittee to proportion the ministers Sallery it was voted in the Negetive, and by their vote declare that they leave it to the present Select men to doe it by those rulles that formerly they have done it by

To the 3^{d} proposition the Town Declare by vote that they desir insi Fuller Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes or any one or two of them to inquire of Mr Allin conserning the Termes vpon which the House may be procured & how long time may be given for the payment &c and give information to the Town the first Monday in January.

in answer to the fourth proposition the Town declare that they will raise the Caunswey as is proposed, and doe it vpon the account of highway work

This Day the Town agreed and by their vote declared that for the time to com the first Munday in Janvary from time to time Shall be the Day of their publiqve meeting, to attend elections and other consernments in—

14th 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller Deacon Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery & Nath: Stearnes. To proportion the ministers Sallery

The ministers Sallery, the time beginning 15th of December 1685 for one quarter of a year

John Gay Senr	2	6	Nath Richards	4	7
Nath Colburn Senr	6	8	Jno Baker	2	11
cornt Timo Dwight	7	10	Dani Fisher	4	11
Ensi Fuller	6	1	Nath Chickring	3	7
Deacon Alldis	5	0	Joshua Fisher	3	0
Sergt Ellic	4	5	Joseph Wight	2	8
Sergt Pond	4	11	Elea Kingsbury	3	7
Sergt Metcalfe	4	0	James Thorp Senr	3	9
Sergt Guild	3	1	Samv Euerit	1	10
Robt Fuller	2	6	Michill Metcalfe	3	2
Robt Ware	6	0	Jona Fuller	3	0
Nath Stearnes	4	7	Jno Colburn	1	6
Thos Paine Senr	2	4	Jno Farrington	4	5
Thos Batteley	2	10	Nath Colburn	2	9
Vid Herring	3	0	Richard Puffer	4	8
Pet Woodward	6	3	Asahell Smith	2	2
Hen Willson	1	6	Eph Ware	2	1
Thos Jordin	2	6	James Herring	1	3
Nath Bullard	3	2	Samv Colburn	2	0
Thos Clap	5	10	Jno Fuller	4	6
Thos Alldridg	5	3	Amos Fisher	2	11
Samv Gay	4	1	Josia Fisher	2	10
Willi Auery	3	9	Jno Gay Senr	2	7
Robt Auery	3	1	Jona Gay	2	11
Jona Auery	3	6	Jno Fisher	2	7
Thos Fisher	2	5	Timo Whiting	2	11
Edw Hawes	3	0	Jno Dean	2	0
Ezra Morse	3	2	Willi Dean	1	10
Samv Miles	2	9	Jno Pain	1	10
Jno Eaton	3	0	Ralph Day	3	1
Jno Ric Senr	2	10	Benj Mils	2	5
[157] Jno Richards	5	3	Tho Pain junr	1	3
Jno Pigg	3	2	Jno Bacon	3	3
Jno Euerid	2	11	Samv barber	1	11
Jno Hunting	3	1	Vid Farrington	0	6
Jona Batteley	1	5	Ralph Freeman	2	0
Vid Whiting	3	2	Vid Fisher	0	8
Jona Fairbank	3	1	Vid Bacon	0	10
James Fale Senr	4	5	Benj Fairbank	1	10
Isaac Chinery	2	3	Nath Kingsbury	4	0

Jona Metcalfe	2	10	Samv Rice	1	0
James Fale ivn^{r}	1	9	James Macknab	1	9
Vidgi Fisher	1	9	James Mackrora	2	0
Jno Smith	3	9	James Grant	1	0
Jno Batteley	2	6	Nell Mackiah	1	7
Danj Farrington	1	3	Edw Cook	1	3
Isaac Chinery iun^{r}	0	0	Jno Ric ivn^{r}	1	0
Jno Mackintosh iu	1	0	Joseph Dament	1	0
Nath Gay	2	11	Jno Ellic	1	4
Nath Farrington	2	0	Nath Hawes	1	2
Comfort Starr	2	3	Jno Homes	1	0
Andr Dewing	2	6	Danj Bacon	1	6
Dani Wight	2	1	Samv Bullard	1	7
Jno Mason	5	8	Jno Mackintosh	2	6
Eph Willson	1	0	James Thorp iun^{r}	1	0
Jona Dewing	3	1	Danj Barnee	0	0
Danj owing	1	0	Jeded Euerit	1	0
Beni oinion	1	6	Dani Alldis	1	3
Jno Hawes	1	0			

This Sallery aboue is proportioned only for A qvarter of A year, and So may be continved from quarter to quarter to the end of the year vnless the Town Shall otherwise Agree.

A bill is given to Nath: Bullard to receive of ye Late Constable John Dean 2^{s} 6^{d} for new marking the line between Natick and Dedham

Reaconed with Daniell Fisher and John Farrington Late constables and there is Due from them to the Town Eight pounds thirten Shillings and eleaven penc in money and there is Due to them from the Town five Shillings ninepenc in corn pay.

A bill is given to Nath: Kingsbury to receive of the constable two pound eleven Shillings eight penc for his Seruic in the meeting house and for killing two duzen and halfe of blackbirds

[158] 15 Decemb Assembled Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Willi Auery and Nath Stearnes to Finish the ministers Sallery

This Day Serg^{t} Ellic and Serg^{t} Pond were desired and appointed to Joyne with the Deacon to looke ouer the Accounts and to take notic of Such persons as are behind in their payment to our Late reuerend pasters Sallery and how much each person is debter vpon that account, and make return to the Select men that effectvall care may be taken for the Speedey attainment of it

A bill is given to Serg^{t} Danj Pond to receive of the late constables John Dean John Euerit eleauen Shillings fiue penc in rate pay for nailles & boards and Seuerall dayes work done about the meeting house and Schooll house

Decemb 21 1685 Assembled Ensi Fuller Serg^{t} Ellic Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Willi Auery and Nath: Stearnes to make the Town & Schooll rate.

A rate made wherein each inhabitant is assessed at one peney in the pound to defrey Town Charges and part of the Schooll masters Sallerey and the other part is raised vpon the childrin as is here inserted. all to be paide in corn.

Eld Jn° Hunting	0	1	8			Jn° Hunting	0	4	10	6	0
Jn° Gay Senr	0	3	11			Jona batteley	0	2	2		
Nath Colburn Senr	0	10	6			Vid Whiting	0	5	1		
Corn^{t} Timo Dwight	0	12	7	3	9	James Herring	0	2	0		
Ensi Thos Fuller	0	9	8			Jn° Fuller	0	7	2	1	1
Dea Jn° Alldis	0	9	8			Jona Fairbank	0	5	0	1	1
Serg^{t} Rich^{d} ellic	0	7	6			James Fale Senr	0	7	1		
Serg^{t} Dani Pond	0	7	10	2	2	Isaac Chinery Senr	0	3	8		
Serg^{t} Thos Metcalfe	0	6	3	2	0	Nath Richards	0	7	4		
Serg^{t} Samv Guild	0	4	11	1	1	Jn° Baker	0	4	7	4	4
Robt Fuller	0	3	11			Dani Fisher	0	7	10		
Robt Ware	0	9	7			Nath Chickring	0	4	7	2	2
Nath Stearnes	0	07	05			Josh Fisher	0	4	10	4	4
Thos Paine Senr	0	3	2			Josep Wight	0	4	3		
Vid Herring	0	4	10			Elea Kingsbury	0	5	8	1	4
Thos Batteley	0	4	4			James Thorp Senr	0	5	11	1	1
Pet Woodward	0	10	4	4	11	Samv Euerit	0	2	11		
Henery Willson	0	3	0			Mich Metcalf	0	5	0	4	4
Thos Jordin	0	5	0			Jona Fuller	0	4	9		
Nath Bullard	0	5	2			Jn° Colburn	0	3	6		
Thos Clap	0	9	4			Jn° Farrington	0	5	4	2	2
Samvell Gay	0	6	6	1	1	[159] Amos Fisher	0	4	9		
Thos Alldridg	0	8	1			Nath Colburn ivn^{r}	0	4	5		
Willi Auery	0	5	10	2	2	Richd Puffer	0	7	7		
Robt Auery	0	4	11			Josi Fisher	0	4	6	1^{s}	1^{d}
Doct Jona Auery	0	4	0			Jn° Gay ivn^{r}	0	4	1		
Thos Fisher	0	3	11			Jona Gay	0	4	8		
Edw Hawes	0	5	9			Jn° Fisher	0	4	2		
Mi^{s} Adams	0	0	0	3	10	Timo Whiting	0	4	6		
Ezra Morse	0	5	0	3	10	Jn° Dean	0	3	2	2	2
Samv Miles	0	4	3			Willi Dean	0	2	11		
Jn° Eaton	0	5	0	4	4	Jn° Pain	0	2	11		
Jn° Richards	0	8	4	1	7½	Ralph Day	0	4	11		
Jn° Rice Senr	0	4	7			Benj Miles	0	3	10		
Jn° Euerit	0	4	9			Thos Pain iun^{r}	0	2	0		
Jn° Pigg	0	5	1	1	1	Jn° Bacon	0	5	3		

Samu Barber	0	3	1			Jn° Mason	0	7	9		
Vid Farrington	0	0	10			Eph Willson	0	2	4		
Ralph Freeman	0	3	2			Jona Dewing	0	4	11		
Vid Fisher	0	1	0			Dani owing	0	1	8		
Vid Bacon	0	1	3	2	2	Benj oinion	0	2	4	2	2
Benj Fairbank	0	2	10			Jn° Hawes	0	2	2		
Vid Barber	0	0	6			Samv Rice	0	2	4		
Nath Gay	0	04	8			James Macknab		2	10	2	2
Nath Kingsbury	0	6	4	4	4	James Mackrora	0	4	8	1	1
Jona. Metcalfe	0	4	7	4	4	James Grant	0	2	7		
James Fale ivn^{r}	0	2	10			Nell Makiah	0	2	7		
Vidgi Fisher	0.	2	10			Edw Cook	0	2	1·		
Jn° Mackintosh	0	4	9			Jn° Rice ivn^{r}	0	1	8		
Samv Colburn	0	3	3			Jose Dament	0	1	8		
Eph Ware	0	3	4			Jn° Ellic	0	2	2		
Jos Fairbank	0	4	8			Nath Hawes	0	2	0		
Jn° Smyth	0	6	0			Jn° Homes	0	1	8		
Jn° Batteley	0	4	1			Danj Bacon	0	2	5		
Asahell Smith	0	3	5	2	2	Samv Bullard	0	3	7		
Jeded Euerit	0	2	3			Danj Farrington	0	1	11		
Nath Farrington	0	3	2			Isaac Chinry ivn^{r}	0	2	3		
Comfort Starr	0	3	10			James Thorp ivn^{r}	0	1	8		
Andr Dewing	0	4	0			Dani Barne	0	1	8		
Danj Wight	0	3	5			wid Abigaile Euerit	0	0	0	2	2

Decemb–28–1685 Assembled in the euening Ensi Fuller Dea Alldis Serg^{t} Ellic Serg^{t} Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe Nath Stearnes

Reaconed with John Euerit and John Dean late Constables and there is Due from them to the Town vpon the account of the Town rate commited into their handes Jan 1684 the just Summ of Six pound four penc lb s d in money and five pounds Seaventen Shillings in corn pay 5—17—0

money 6—0—4

A bill is granted to Mr Hinchman to receive of John Euerit and John Dean late Constables five pound Seaventen Shillings in corn and five pounds in money which bill being paide there will be Due from them to the Town 1^{lb}—0^{s}—4^{d} in money

[**160**] A bill is given to Joshua Fisher to receive of the constables four pound thre Shillings and four penc for thre generall meetings at his House and for Select mens Dyet

Serg^{t} Ellic being desirous to lay down four acres of land at Pond Plaine and two acres at Powisit Plaine: and to take it vp neer Natick brook, Serg^{t} Danj Pond and Nathaniell Bullard are deputed and impowred to lay it out to hime accordingly.

this euening Jn° Mackintosh ivn^r delivered 2^s 6^d in Silver to the Select men for 500 hoop poles he had vpon the Commons which was put into the hands of Serg^t Pond to procure a belrope.

received of the Comitee appointed to despose of the Schoolle lb s d
money 1—10—0
which they received for the rent of s^d money: which was forthwith delivered to Nath: Stearnes to Satisfy for his charges at the generall covrt and he remain deter to the Town 3^s in money.

Dea Aldis & ye committe conclud that Josha fisher have the Swamp he aks for in exchange for those laid down

At a generall meeting: 4th January 1685

Thear was a proposall whither the Towne would choose seauen men to order the prudentiall or fiue for the insewing year and the voat passed for fiue

Timothy Dwight is chosen to keep the Records for this insuing year and to be on of the select men

The men chosen for select men for the yeare insuing Decon John Aldis Ser Dan Pond Ser Tho Metcalfe Thomas Battely

Serveyers are Chosen as foloweth Nathaniel Colburn Jams Thorp Thomas Battely and Thomas Aldridg

11 1[ ] 1685 Asembled Decon Aldus Ser Pond Thomas Battely Ser Metcalfe Timothy Dwight

The Town being Indebted to Mr Joseph: Holbrooke: for keepinge the school as doth appeare: three pound ten shilings the select men order Timothy Dwight to giue thos that leagaly demad it 3£—[10^s]—0^d

A bill to the present Constables Jams: Thorp and: Nathaniell Chickring 1£—8^s—0 in mony: and 2£—2^s—0 in Gomon Towne payment the time that the Schoole was keept was seuen weekes and 3 days

A bill is giuen to Samuel Colburn of twenty shilings for killing two wolues

Notis is giuen to John Macone leagaly: that he is not alowed to be an inhabitent in this Towne: th: 8 11 mo 1685

This day we gaue out warants to the Constables to demad mony and strayne for Mr Adams his salery: according to Towne order

[161] 4 January 1685 For as much: as at the first in our Considration: respecting the calling of the reuerand Mr Boules: to Help vs: in our low Estat by the good hand of god we ware incoraged by the generall agreement amongst our selues with solom aduice of many of the reuerand Elders to call the reuerand Mr Boules to preach with vs: which being obtayned for which we blesse god and hauing had such a tast of his gifts and abilityes and singular labour of loue amongst vs: and we by the:

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prouidenc of god Hauing an opertunity for our Towne to be together we thought meet to discourse the mater respecting calling the reuerand Mr Bowles: in order to a full setelment with vs: in the worke of Christ in the minestry and it beinge considred whither the church: should not preeseed it is Answered that the present asembly consisting of the church and Towne: and thirefore now thay will act together as one: with all due respect to the Church of Christ in Dedham we the present asembly: do Here by declar that it is our earnest desire request and call to the reuerand Mr Boules to setell with vs: in Dedham as aboue sayd: En Tho Fullar Liut Nath Starns: Deco John Aldus: Jams Thorpe and Nathan Bulard ware a comity: deputed to informe the reuerand Mr Boules with the aboue sayd voate:

This was voated in the afirmitiue: no man desenting from it

15. 12 1685: Asembled Decon John Aldus Ser Tho Metcalf Ser Dan Pond Timo Dwight In the after noone:

A bill is giuen to Liut Nath Starns of three pound seauen shillings out of the Towne rate

Men: appoynted to vew fences are as foloweth: viz for the west end of the Towne from the elders lane to the ordinary: Joseph Wight and Edward Hawes: for the east end of the Towne from the ordinary and the lane leading to Eld John Huntings House: Nath Colburn ser Richard Elice: for the great playn and Schoole Ground John Fullar Micall Metcalfe: and Eleazer Kingsbury: For the other fieldes one the North side of Charles Riuer beyond the Iland Causey: John Smith and Ephraim Ware: For thos field betwixt Charles Riuer and the High way leading to Medfield Nathaniel Richard and John Bacon: For thes fields betwix the Highway leading to Medfield and Dorchester line Sam Gay and John Euerid For the low playn and Roxbury playne Ser Guild and Timothy Whiting

Men appoynted to burne the woods as foloweth for the west part of the Towne Henery Willson Samuel Colburn and Thomas Fisher: For the East Street Jedadiah Euerid For the Iland Jonathan Duin and Ephraim Ware

Nathaniell Colbur Senor is chose Sealer for the year insuing

A way to meadow purches

Nathaniel Colburn Seno Ser Rich Elice: and Timothy Dwight ware a comity choosen: to lay out a High way leading to the purches meaddow: and accordingly: thay: haue done it two Roods wide: from the Brooke in Boston High way: neear Mathew Stoones Howse: and so alonge one the west side of Roxbury line to Tho Hearings land so to lead to the meaddow known formerly to Haue been Mr John Alins and throw a Small parcle of land formerly known to be Nathaniel Whitings and we the comity aboue sayd did Satisfy for that land to Nathaniel Whiting on the south Side of his own lot neer the Mill Bridge:

23 12 1685 Asembled in the afternoone: Dec John Aldus: Ser Danell Pond Tho Battely Ser Tho Metcalfe and Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to Srg^{t} Hen Adams of Medfield of ten shilings: for killing one wolfe in our Towne bounds:

A bill giuen to Mr Hinchman to Recaiue of Jams Thorpe Constable and Nath Chickring to pay out of the Towne Rate now in your Hand six pouds

[162] A bill is giuen to Mr Richard Hinchman to Recaiue of Dan Fisher and John Farrington late Constabls: in mony thre pouds six shilings 8^{d} that is due to the Town vpon the Recong with the select men:

A bill is giuen to John Hunting: to Recaue of Nathaniel Chickring Constable fower pound in Towne pay for keeping Abigal Littefield according to the voat of the Towne:

A bill is giuen to Ben Milles: of ten shillings for killing on woolfe

Granted liberty to Ensign Fullar and Serg^{t} Elice to take timber of the Comon to make a three rayle fenc about land that they are now taking in for thier vse:

A bill is giuen to Pet Aldus for mending the pound: and Clay and labour abought: the schoole House Chmdy: eight and sixpenc

A bill is giuen to Nathaniell Colburn senor of fiue shilings 2 dayes runng and stating of lines betwixt the Towne and the Indins at Natick

9 1mo 168$\frac{8}{9}$ at a generall Towne meting Thier was a voat pased Refering to Mr Boules in order to acomidating him for a Howse to dwell in in Case he come to liue in the Town was left to the former Comity En Fullar Liut Starns: Decon John Aldus: Jams Thorpe: and Nath Bulard:

Asembled after the generall meting at nighte Dec Aldus Tho Battely Serg^{t} Pond Ser Metcalf Timo Dwight

A bill is giuen to John Fisher for Caring John Clarke to Roxbury of three shillings

Decon Aldus John Euerid and Sam Guild are a Comety appoynted to lay out a Highway: betwixt the land of John Deen and Jonathan Freemans land neer the Higheway that leade from the East street to foule meadow

Serg^{t} Elic and Ser Ponde is appoynt to lay out a High way from the land called Ralph Days groud to the vper bridge ouer Neticke Brooke on the south side of Charles Riiuer

24 1mo 168$\frac{8}{9}$ Asembled at night Dec Aldus Tho Bately Serg^{t} Dan Ponde Serg^{t} Tho Metcalfe

The select men of Dorchester: did signify to the select men of this Towne to rune the line betwixt Dorchester and Deadham acordig to law this day: and: their was: chosen to atend that worke Serg^{t} Thomes Metcalfe Serg^{t} Samuel Guild John Euerid:

John Fisher and: John Dean: are appoynt to yoake and Ringe swine according to Towne order or any other inhabitant damnified by Swine Haue like power to ringe and yoake them for the like recompence

Notice is giuen to John Clarke that he is not alowed to be an inhabitant in this Towne

7: 2: 1686 Asembled Decon John Aldus Thomas Battely Serg^{t} Dan Pond and Timothy Dwight

This day Peter Woodward made a Complaynt of damage doone him by puling up his fence in the way: to the Mill and some of his fence is Carred away:

Decon John Aldus John Euerit Samuel Guild are deputed to lay out a High way: from: South playne: alonge by the land grated to Joshua Fisher and now in the Hand of John Dean: which acordingly: thay Have done 2 roods wide: one the west side of the land granted to Jonathan Freeman adioyning vpon the East street way: and it is layd out 4 rood wide from the sayd land of the sayd Freeman to the west end of South Hill

[**168**] Tithing men Choosen for this yeare insuing as foloweth Serg^{t} Elice William Auery Jonathan Fullar Jonathan Metcalf Nathaniell: Chickring Nathaniel Gay John Fullar Natha Kingsbury:

9 2 1686 The Towne being called together in order to Abigall Litellfield seruant Former to John Hunting acount was given to the inhebitents that she was vnder a great afliction by extrodinary burning: it is agreed by voat that thay will giue John Hunting twenty fower shilngs tourds the Cure: and also fiue pounds: in Corne: pay: for the yeare insuing: this voat above writen not owing Abigall Litllfield an in Habitat but giuing it to Her master considring him: that: she before Her burning was a burden to him:

The men under named do declare thay will pay none: of this mony giuen to John Hunting by the Towne Ezra: Morse: John Dean Josiah: Fisher Will Dean:

A bill giuen to John Fullar of 5^{s} 6^{d} for worke done to the great Cart bridg ouer Charles Riuer

26: 2: 86: A bill is giuen to Mrs Adams to recaiue of Counstable Chicring late Constable forty two shiligs vpon Schoolmaster Holbroocks Account:

A bill is giuen to Edward Hawes: to rcaie of the Constabl five shiligs: for his seruic in the meting House:

John Hunting Juner: in a publique meting that he will petition the Honoured County Court: to free him from the trouble and charge of keeping Abigall Litllfield: his late seruant:

The select men: Hauing taken notice thierof do Choose appoynt and impower Ensig Tho Fullar: Liut Nath Starns: and Ezra Morse or any two of them to apper and atend the Honoured County: next insuing: to Answer and make plea: in behalfe of the Towno as: thay shall Judge the Case require.

A bill is giuen to Mrs Adams to recaiue of John Farrington lat Constabl in mony twenty eight shilings vpon schoolmaster Holbrocke acoute:

26: 2: 86 A bill is giuen to Edward Hawes of 3s to make vp and satisfy the whole account that is due to him for his seruice in the meting House to this day for waching ouer the boyes:

Sergt Richard Elice doe informe he desire to take in abought an Acre and half of comon land to straten his fence: neere the south playne the select men do alow him so to doe vntill the propriators do dispose otherwise: of it

John Dean and Ralph Freman Haue liberty to fence vp the Highe way: leading throw the south playne: to the East street way: for the yeare insuinge:

26: 5: 1686: Asembled Deco: Aldus Thomas: Battely: Ser Metcalfe Ser Pond and Timothy Dwight

Recaiued of John Locust mony: eight shilings: for the Hire of meaddow: lyinge neere Sutbury: and this mony was payd fower shilings: to Dec Aldus for mony he disbursed to mend the: meeting Howse glase: and 3 shilings sixpenc to Ser Pond for mending the glasse in the School House:

12 8 1686 Asembled Dec Aldus Thomas Battely Ser Metcalf and Timo Dwight

For as much as damage did Come to the Towne: by the water lying long vpon the meaddowes belonging to the inhabitns we se reason to lower Charles Riuer but in this Extrem Drout the Towne and Miller sufring so much that we se reason & alow that we might haue a suply of meall that this Riuer floued abovt forty roods be low the mill Crickes mouth be reduced to the former Height prouided Still that meaddows be cared for by the Millers that Haue liberty to do this worke

[164] 15 8 1686 At a generall meeting of the inhabitants and Househoulder it was agreed vpon and voated to leaue a rate as formerly to pay the Schoolemaster for about Holfe year past and fer Holfe yer to Com and Holfe peny vpon the poude to pay time Chges:

Robrt Ware Thomas Aldridg Nathaniell Bulard are appoynted to state a Highway betwixt Charles Riuer: and the land of John Gay senor neer to Woolfe pit Hill

22 9 1686 Asembled Dec John Aldus Liu Dan Pond Thomas Battely Ser Tho Metcalf Timothy Dwight

22: 9: 1686 Recaiued of Constoble John Deane in mony 3£ pound 5s 9d vpon the Towne Rate account that was deliuerd to Liut Nath Starns. vpon the Account and for the vse of Mr Richard Hinchman which was his Just and Full part of the Rate now in his Hand and thier is due to the Towne: of the Corne part in his hand yet the Some of two pounds nineteen shilligs: eight pence

Recond with Constable Daniel Fisher and due to the Towne to Balnce the Accounts from the above sayd Counstabl in mony sixteen shilings three pence: and in Corne fourteen shillings: three pence 1—10—6

Reconed with Constabl Farington and due to the Towne in mony Five pounds on shilling ten penc to balnc accouts besides Fiue pound: he is to

pay Mrs Adams: vpon Mr Hinchmas rate: which the selete men ordrd him befor this Recong.

6 10 1686 at a generall meeting of the Towne A comity was Choosen in order to prouid A minster for a presnt suply the men Choosen as foloweth Liut Dan Pond Tho Battely Robrt Ware Peter Woodward Ezra Morse Timothy Dwight this Comity was by a voat desird to intreat the Reurd Mr Lee to Helpe vs as much as he Can him selfe and thay are to intreat him for his aduice and Helpe to procure one for a suply to the Towne at other times

The Towne Haue voated that thay will buy Mr Alins Howse for the Towes vse in order to Acomidating the minstry from time to time prouided it may be bought worth mony: and: conuenint time of payment and to that end the former Comity are desired to speake with Mr Alin efectuly: and make returne at the nex generall meting

The select men being Asembled grated thes billes as foloweth

Serg^{t} Elic Tho Fisher are Choosen to lay out Eight Acres on ½ 21 roods of land to Eleaz and Nath Kingsbury that do apper to be due to them as thay are Heyers to thier Father Estate

A bill is giun to John Colburn to Recae of Constabl Farrington two shilligs sixpes:

A bill is giun to Serg^{t} Guild of six shillngs for Rung lines

A bill is giuen to Serg^{t} Metcalf of six shilligs to Recae of Constell Thorpe for Ruig lines

A bill is giuen to Ben Onion of fifty shillings in Corn pay for Ringng the Bell and othr seruic in the meting Howse

Liut Starns En Fullar Jams Thorp are Chosen a Comity to make vp accounts with Decon Aldus refering to the minestry and to make returne to the Towne the next generall meeting in Salry genewary

[165] Asembled Deco Aldus: Thomas Batly Liut Pond: Ser Metcalf Timo Dwight 7th 10 1686

A Rate made at a peny vpon the pound to defray Town charges and one Hapny one the pound for the Schoole together with the vsall Asesment gathred one the mal children: according to the Towne voat being Alowed by the Honrd Presedent one fifth part in mony

	lb	s	d							
Eld John Hunting	0	1	7		John Richards	0	7	4		
Dec John Aldus	0	4	11		Asel Smith	0	3	4		
Nath Colburn Seno	0	5	11		John Hunting	0	5	5	17^{s}	
Liu Nath Starns	0	7	7		Ser Tho Metcalfe	0	5	5	2	3
En Richard Elice	0	7	3		Ser Sam Guild	0	5	1	6	
Timo Dwight	0	12	4	17^{s}	Ser Will Auery	0	5	10	8	
Will Dean	0	2	10		Ser Ezra Morse	0	6	0	11	
Hester Fisher	0	0	10		Ben Onion	0	2	2	6	

Dan Aldus	0	2	4		Jams Macarwithy	0	4	10	3	
Vid Morse	0	0	3		John Hawes	0	2	0		
Vid Euerid	0	0	0	3	Geddi Euerid	0	2	8		
Joshua Fisher	0	4	9	12	Pet Vales	0	2	1		
Vig Fisher	0	2	7		John Macintosh Jun	0	1	8		
Ben Colburn	0	2	5		Jams Macarwithy	0	1	8		
Vid Hering	0	7	2		Vid Barber	0	0	6		
Nath Coburn Ju	0	5	11		Thomas [Thorp]	0	2	6		
John Colburn	0	3	4		This rate to be gathred by Jams Thorp					
Vid Whiting	0	5	8		John Gay Seno	0	3	3		
Timo Whiting	0	4	4		En Tho Fullar	0	7	8		
Jona Fairbank	0	5	1	6	Liu Dan Pond	0	9	2	6	
Jose Fisher	0	4	5	3	Robr Ware	0	10	0		
Jams Grant	0	2	3		Tho Battely	0	4	1		
Jams Vales Junr	0	3	0		Nath Bulard	0	4	11		
Sam Gay	0	6	8	3	Hen Wilson	0	2	9		
Robt Fullar	0	4	0		Ephr Wilson	0	3	0		
Pet Woodward	0	9	8	3	Dan Wight	0	3	9		
Jams Thorp	0	6	4		John Gay Jun	0	4	2		
Doc Jona Auery	0	5[5]	8		Jonath Gay	0	3	11		
Jona Fullar	0	4	10		Edwar Cooke	0	1	11		
Josep Fairbank	0	4	1		John Fisher	0	4	0		
Ben Fairbank	0	2	11		John Elice	0	2	0		
Jona Metcalfe	0	4	5	18	Josep Wight	0	4	4		
John Farington	0	6	9	6	Dan Fisher	0	9	4	6	
Vid: and Dan Farington		2	3		Nath Chickring	0	4	10	6	
Sam Bulard	0	3	7		John Battely	0	4	1		
Nath Farington	0	3	2		Edw Hawes	0	5	7		
Jams Thorp Jun	0	1	8		Nath Hawes	0	1	11		
Ralph Freeman	0	3	0		Tho Fisher	0	4	1		
John Euerid	0	4	9	3[6]	Tho Hall	0	5	9		
Samuel Euerid	0	3	1		Robr Auery	0	7	3		
John Pigge	0	4	3	3	Nath Kingsbury	0	7	1	11	6
Tho Clap Seno	0	7	4		Tho Payne	0	2	5		
Jams Vales Seno	0	6	10		John Mason	0	8	5		
Jams Macanob	0	2	11	6	John Baker	0	4	2	6	
John Macintosh	0	4	10		Nath Gay	0	5	0		

The remainder of this rate two leaues forward

[1] [166] The salary for the year one Thousand seven hundred and six is proportioned as foloweth each particuler persons proportion being prefixed to their names

[1] The matter found on pages 166 and 167 seem te have been written here out of date, probably the two pages were left blank and filled up afterward.

Mr Timothy Dwight	1	4	10
Peter Woodward	1	10	3
Joseph Ellis Juñ	0	7	6
William Avery señ	0	17	8
Wm Avery Juñ	0	12	1
Joseph Faierbank	0	13	3
James Maknab	0	7	1
Samvell Holms	0	6	0
Sam Thorp	0	5	3
Jonath Fuller	0	16	10
Vid Sarah Metcalfe	0	3	2
Josiah Fisher	0	13	10
Samvell Whitting	0	14	6
Timothy Whitting	1	0	0
Jonath Faierbank	0	5	8
Ezra Morse	0	8	7
Thomas Hering	0	8	3
Nath Colburn	0	9	0
Vid Experience Colburn	0	8	6
Michael Dwight	0	7	4
Daniel Aldis	0	9	3
John Richards	0	11	3
Boaz Browne	0	7	9
Benjamin Colburn	0	14	1
Vigelence Fisher	0	9	3
Joshva Fisher señ	0	18	0
William Bullard	0	14	4
Robert Avery	0	17	2
John Huntting señ	1	1	4
John Huntting Juñ	0	11	10
David Eams	0	6	0
Ebenezer Deane	0	3	7
John Everit Juñ	0	8	9
William Everit	0	5	9
Barakiah Lewis	0	10	4
John Farington Señ	1	0	9
Eleazer Fisher	0	7	11
John Dean Señ	0	11	4
Jonath Metcalfe	0	10	6
John Metcalfe	0	6	9
Samvell Everitt	0	8	1
Thomas Heslop	0	3	9
Capt John Everit	0	17	0
John Makerwithe	0	5	0
Samvell Stearns	0	7	0
William Makintosh	0	7	11
Nath Farington	0	15	7
Peter Thorp	0	7	11
Capt Samvell Gvild	0	19	0
Sam^{ll} & Timothy Gay	0	14	8
John Gay Juñ	0	6	0
James Makerwithe Juñ	0	5	1
Joshva Fisher Juñ	0	8	1
John Farington Juñ	0	4	10
John Deane Juñ	0	6	2
Ralph Freeman Juñ	0	6	1
Isaac Everit	0	3	9
Samvell Fuller	0	5	6
Benjamin Onion	0	12	8
John Haws	0	6	7
Asahel Smith	0	15	1
Capt Daniel Fisher	1	1	7
Dea Joseph Wight	0	15	4
Thomas Fisher	0	2	0
Jeremiah Fisher	0	8	10
John Battelle	0	12	5
Anne & Jabez Pond	0	12	4
John Gay señ	0	19	7
Vid Prescila Pond	0	0	9
Vid Mary Bullard	0	7	9
Daniell Wight	0	18	5
Ephram Wilson	0	13	0
Thomas Hall	0	9	0
Joseph Smith	0	5	0
Nath Richards señ	0	15	8
Jonath Battele	0	7	3
John Bacon	1	1	6
Nath Chickring	0	6	7
Eleazer Ellis	0	6	7
Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn	1	4	4
Nath Kingsbury	0	15	0
Joseph Ellis señ	0	7	9
Josiah Newell	0	5	9
Daniell Draper	0	8	10
Tho Ockinton	0	8	3
Leu^{t} John Baker	0	16	6

John Baker Juñ	0	6	1	John Paine	0	9	3
Nath Gay señ	0	13	7	Joseph Daniells	0	10	10
Comfort Starr	0	8	1	John Parker	0	10	3
John Carpenter	0	5	6	Benj Mills señ	0	10	3
Amos Fisher	0	13	5	Benj Mills Juñ	0	6	6
William Eaton	0	9	0	Sam Mills	0	6	0
Samvell Ware	0	7	4	Joseph Mills	0	6	9
Vid Hannah Ware	0	2	3	William Mills	0	5	3
Eleaz Kingsbery	1	5	6	Ebenezer Mills	0	4	6
John Woodcock	0	15	11	Ephram Ware	0	6	6
Vid Hannah Aldridg	0	12	0	James Kingsbery	0	7	7
Michael Metcalfe	0	9	10	John Smith señ	0	14	7
Tho Fuller Señ	0	18	10	John Smith Juñ	0	3	3
Tho Fuller Juñ	0	5	0	John Rice	0	10	1
John Aldis	0	1	0	Jere Woodcock	0	6	3
Nath Haws	0	4	11	Samvell Bacon	0	5	6
Ephram Wilson Juñ	0	3	3	Robert Cook	0	5	9
John Braket	0	4	6	Samvell Parker	0	5	9
Nath Gay Juñ	0	5	9	Josiah Kingsbery	0	5	7
Daniell Fisher Juñ	0	6	10	Math Ockinton	0	7	0
John Fuller	01	7	0	Joseph Comin	0	4	1
John Ellis	0	10	6	Joseph Barber	0	4	10
Nath Richards Juñ	0	6	1	Hez: Broad	0	3	3
Ralph Day	0	3	10	Math Tomblin	0	4	6
John Chickring	0	3	3	Tim Kingsbery	0	5	3
Eleazer Metcalfe	0	3	3	Andr Wodkins	0	4	3
Thomas Metcalfe	0	5	1	Christop Smith	0	3	3
Ebeñ Braket	0	3	3	James Hering	0	0	3
James Richards	0	3	9	Jonath Whitting	0	0	6
Edward Richards	0	3	3	Jonath Draper	0	0	4
Joseph Wight Juñ	0	3	3	James Falls	0	1	6
Ebenezer Ware	0	9	7	Zach Smith	0	3	3
Andrew Dewing	1	1	1	Edward Cooke	0	3	3
Jonathan Gay	0	19	11	John Gill	0	3	3
John Fisher	0	17	6				

[167] 170$\frac{8}{7}$ Janvary 2 bills granted to John Rice for his work in building the schoole house chimny twelve & sixpenc 12—6

To Nath Gay for work done and to provide nails & work to shelter the schoole house chimny 12—0

To Joseph Faierbank for clay 1—6

To Nath Richards for laying out a way 1—6

To Benj Colburn for laying out sd way 1—6

To Wm Avery for writting and other work for the Town in the year 1705 18—4

To Ezra Morse for warning a Town meeting 6—0

To John Fuller to receive of John Huntting Constable six pounds five shill for servic as represent in the yeare 1705 And to Receive of Michael Metcalf constable five pounds for the same year 11—5—0

Janv 7 To Leut John Baker to receive of Mich Metcalfe Constable twelve shillings for the use of his house to Keep the schoole in 12—0

To John Fisher Constable to receive out of the Town Rate for runing Watertown line in the year 1705 03—0

To John Smith to receive of Joseph Daniells Constable three shilling out of the rate for runing Watertown line 1705 03—0

To John Gay señ° to receive of Michaell Metcalfe Constable nine shillings & six pence over rated 09—6

To Thomas Ockinton for work at the schoole house chimny 06—0

To Thomas Hall work at the sd chimny 2—0

Ephram Wilson work at sd chimny 4—0

To Deacon Joseph Wight 5—6

To Joshva Fisher señ to receive of Michael Metcalfe Constable thirty six shillings and of John Huntting Constable twenty Shillings & three penc for entertaining the Town and selectmen for the year 1705 2—16—3

To John Deane to receive of John Huntting Constable six shillings for runing Dorchester line & laying out a high way to the Sedar Swamp 6—0

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bills payed by the Constables

To John Rice by Joseph Daniells 12— 6

To Nath Gay by Michaell Metcalfe Con 12—00

by John Huntting to Joseph Faierbank 1— 6

by Michaell Metcalfe to Nath Richards 1— 6

by John Huntting to Benj Colburn 1— 6

by John Huntting to William Avery 18— 4

by John Huntting to Ezra Morse 06— 0

by John Hunting Constable to John Fuller Six lb 5 shil 06—05— 0

To John Fuller by Mich Metcalfe Constable 05—00— 0

To Leut John Baker by Michaell Metcalfe Cons 12—00

The Contra bill is returned and owned to be received by John Fisher Constable 03— 0

To John Smith by Joseph Daniells 3— 0

by Michaell Metcalfe to John Gay señr nine & six pence 09— 6

To Tho Ockinton by Mich Metcalfe Constable 6— 0
To Tho Hall by Mich Metcalls Con 02—00
To Eph Willson by Mich Metcalfe Cons 04—00
To Deacon Wight by Mich metcalfe Constable 00—05— 6
To Joshva Fisher by Michall Metcalfe Constable 01— 5— 0
To Joshva Fisher by Joseph Daniells Constable eleven shilli 11— 0
To Joshva Fisher by John Huntting Constable one lb & 3 pence 01—00—03
by John Huntting to John Deane six shillings 6— 0
by John Huntting to John Partridg schoole master as appears by receit under said schoole masters hand eleven pounds thirteen shillings & ninepence 11—13— 9

	£	s	d	
[168]Comfort Star	0	3	10	
Ralph Day	0	4	4	6
Vid Bacon	0	1	1	6
Dan Bacon	0	3	3	
John Bacon	0	5	11	8
Nath Richards	0	7	7	6
Amos Fisher	0	5	0	6
Jhon Dean	0	2	10	6
Jhon Eaton	0	4	8	006
Jhon Smith	0	6	2	6
John Payn	0	3	6	
Josep Damont	0	1	8	
Eleaz Kingsbury	0	5	11	3
Tho Aldridg	0	8	5	3
Sam Colburn	0	2	7	
Josep Colburn	0	2	1	
Jonat Battel	0	2	5	
John Rice Seno	0	3	1	
John Rice Junr	0	3	1	
John Fuller	0	6	11	3
Mica Metcalf	0	4	9	6
Sam Milles	0	5	5	
Ben Milles	0	4	6	2
Sam Barber	0	3	2	
Eph Ware	0	3	2	
Sam Rice	0	2	10	
John Gill	0	1	11	
And Duin	0	4	19	10
Vid and Jonas Duin	0	4	09	
John Homes	0	1	11	
Isaac Chinery	0	2	5	
Chinry	0	1	11	

A bill is giuen to Liu Stares of twenty shilings in Corne pay for seruing at the generall Court in 8[ ]85 £ s d 1—00—3
A Bill is giuen to Decon Aldis of ten shillings of Jams Shorp·Constabl in may to pay part of fiue pouds which was Borrowed of John and Nath Richads 0—10—0
Reconed with Jams Thorpe: Constabl: and Balnced Accounts and due to him refering to the rates in 85 seuen shillings and threpenc Corn: pay 0—10—[ ]
Reconed with Nathaniel Chickring Constabl for all the rates in 85 and dew to the Towne in Corne pay: fower poud seunteen shiligs 04—17—0
and mony part dew to the Town from sayd Nathanill 1—10—0

A bill is giuen to Constobl Thorp and Constobl Chicringe: in 55: 56: for fower wolues brought in by them: 2—0—0

A bill is giuen to Schoolmaster Eliat of six pouds to recaiue of Jams Thorpe Constabl out of the School rate now in his hand 6—0—0

A bill is giue to School master Eliot to Recaue of Nathnll Richads out of the Rate now in his hand of six pouds 6—0—0

A bill is giuen to Liu Ponde for his wife tending: Abigall Litlfield: and the horse blocks: and a Cofine fore [Abigel] in mony twenty two shilig and Corn pay thirty two shilngs 2—14—0

A bill is giuen to Decon: Aldus: for worke done in the meting House and mending the fencs about the Church lote and worke abot schoole House in corn pay 0—7—0

A bill if giuen to Joshua Fisher of eight shiligs to Recaue in may for a bell roope an 2s 4d for sider and Rume expended at the remuy of the school House and the other for select mens dyet 0—8—0

A bill is giue to Mrs Adams to Recaue of Constabe Chickrig vpon Schoole master Hinchmans accout of thre pouds in Corn 3—0—0

A bill is giuen to Daniel Aldus to Recaiue of Constobl Thorpe: 15s ten in Corne and five in mony for the Hire of His House being Imprud for the Schoole vntill the 1 may in 77

[**169**] 27 [11] 10 1686 Asembled Decon Aldis Liut Danill Ponde Thomas Battely Serg Tho Metcalf Timothy Dwight

A bill is granted to En Fuller: of six shiligs out of the rate in Constobl Richard hand as it Rise

A bill is giuen to Mr Eliot Schoolmaster to recaiue of Constobl Thorp two pouds ten shilings and of Constabl Richard two pound ten shilings 5£—0s—0d

Danill Fisher Constoble is Assigned to pay: to Mrs Adams vpon the Account of Mr Richard Hinchmon the mony part is sixten and three penc: and in Corne payment fourteen and three penc: the Hool is 1£—10s—6d this being payd as aboue sayd. Constoble Fisher is dicharged: of all engagmts to the Towne refering to his Constobl ofice:

A bill is giuen to Liut Starns: to recaiue of Constoble Farington: of Mr Hinchmans Account in mony Eighten shilings: which is to be abated and taken out of fiue pouds and is tenpenc in mony: that is due to the Towne from the aboue named farington: vpon the balanc:

A bill is giuen to En Fuller of six shilings: for 2 bushls of Corne was lent to pay Ed Haws for his seruic in the meting Howse

A bill is giuen to Joshua: Fisher for Charge at the generall meting and for select mens dyet two pound fiue shillngs 2—5—0

A bill is giuen to John Hunting of 2—12—5 forty shilings for trouble and Charge for Abigall Litllfield 6: shiligs for 9 duzen of blacbirds killed by

him 6^{s}: fiue penc for on Child put in to Schoole rate vpon a mistake to be pay in Corne pay:

A bill is given to John Mason to recaie of Constob Richards in Corn pay 2^{s} for digging Rebecy Litllfield grave:

Reconed with John Euerid and due to the Towne in mony 2£—12 and in Corne: 1—16—5: and the Corne part he is asigned to pay to Mrs Adams vpon the Accout of Mr Hinchmans Account

The Generall Towne meeting January 3, 168$\frac{8}{7}$ Wherin the Towne acted as followeth,

1 The Comitee chosen by the Towne to atend the accounts respecting the ministery, made returne this day; the Town took Such notice thereof, & did conceiue they must forthwith take care that thos accounts shold be perfected, or as much as might be, Haue this day Chosen ther Respected friends, Ens. Tho. Fuller Lieft Nath: Stearnes, & James Thorp to be ther Comitee to Joyne with, Deacon John Aldis to call together all Such persons, as are behind in that account, now p^{r}sented to the Towne, the said Comitee to use there best Skill, by perswasion to procure what they can of Said Sumes afixed to euery person, & to heare ther pleas, & alegations, the first opertunity, & to make returne to the Towne, both of the account of moneys receiued, & there alegations, of which the Towne is to be sole judge ·

[170] The Care of Repayering the great Cart Bridg in the Towne ouer into the Island, is left to the care of the Select men & the Surveyers now to be chosen

The propriato^{rs} of this Towne haue giuen unto John Gill Six acres of Land, neer to the House Lot of Epherim Ware to be Layd out for his & the Townes best advantage by Ens Richard Ellice, Ens Thomas Fuller, & Nathanell Bullard

The Comitee formerly chosen to treat about the purchaseing Mr Allins Houses & Lands in Dedham, are desired, to atend that Concearne, & returne Mr Allins Tearmes to ye Towne at ther next meeting

The Towne declare that the Select men are to make a Leuie, or proportion to each man in the Towne his just Sume to be payd this ensueing year for the mayntainance of the ministery, by the rules formerly atended & ordered by ye Towne

Elections are as followeth Tho: Battelle is chosen Town Recorder & to be on of ye Select men for the year ensueing

Cornit Timothy Dwight Lieft Daniell Pond Ens Richard Ellice Peter Woodward Selectmen

Lieft Dan Pond James Thorp Tho: Fisher & John Fuller Surveyers

January 10 Assembled Mr Dwight Lieft Pond Ens Ellice & Tho: Battelle to make the rate for the ministers Sallery

The tenth of January is appointed for a meeting by the Comitee to Call thos persons to account that are behind in paym[t] of the ministers Sallery in times past

The 17 day of this month is appointed for a generall meeting of the Towne & inhabitants, (y[e] Towne then meeting

January 17 The Comitee gaue in there account to the Towne.

The Towne by voate declare that for the perfecting more fully the afore sayd worke, That the Select men are impowered to appoint a Comitee to joyne with Deacon John Aldis, who Shall haue power to act for the Towne, according to ther best discretion, with all persons that are wanting in paying M[r] Adams Salleryes & the Last years Sallery Ending Decemb 15 1686; to bring all acounts to the best efects with each man therin concearned

The Comitee Chosen by the Select men according the aforesayd order to attend the Sayd worke are Serg[t] Mefcalfe, Ezra Morse Dan Fisher & John Fuller,

January 10 Assembled Cornet Timo Dwight. Lieft Dan. Pond, Ens Richard Ellice & Tho: Battelle, to make the Rate for the ministers Sallery as followeth

[171] The proportion of Each person, in this Towne, for the ministers Sallery this p[e]sant year, Ensueing begining December 15: 1686: exceept the Towne Shall Se Cause to make any alteration, before the year be expired: Each person is assessed at two pence halfe peny p[r] pound as followeth

	£	s	d				
Jn° Gay Sen[r]	07	08	03	Jn° Mason Tho Hockinton	01	01	01
Dea Jn° Aldis	00	16	05	Edw: Hawse	00	13	11
Ens Tho: Fuller	00	19	01	Hen: Wilson	00	06	10
Cornet Timo: Dwight	01	10	10	Tho: Fisher	00	10	04
Lieft: Nath: Stearnes	00	19	00	Tho: Hall	00	14	03
Lieft: Dan: Pond	01	02	10	Nath: Hawse	00	04	09
Ens: Rich: Elice	00	18	00	Jn° Battelle	00	10	02
Rob[t] Fuller	00	10	00	Nath: Chickering	00	12	01
Nath: Coalburn Sen[r]	00	14	09	Dan: Fisher	01	03	06
Rob[t] Ware	01	05	01	Jos: Wight	00	10	11
Tho: Battelle	00	10	04	Jonath: Battelle	00	06	02
Peter Woodward	01	04	02	Jn° Fisher	00	10	00
Serg[t] Tho: Metcalfe	00	13	08	Jn° Elice	00	05	00
Serg[t] Sam[l] Guile	00	12	09	Jonath Gay	00	09	11
Serg[t] Will[m] Auery	00	14	07	Jn° Gay jun[r]	00	10	06
Serg[t] Ezra Morse	00	15	00	Epher: Wilson	00	07	06
James Thorpe Sen[r]	00	15	11	Andr: Dueing	00	12	00
Nath: Bullard	00	12	04	Jonath Dueing	00	11	10
Sam[l] Milles	00	13	06	Benj: Milles	00	11	02

Sam[l] Barber	00 08 00
Sam[l]: Rice	00 07 01
Eph: Ware	00 08 01
Jn° Rice Sen[r]	00 07 08
Jn° Rice jun[r]	00 07 08
Jn° Fuller	00 17 03
Mich: Metcalfe	00 12 00
Eleaz: Kingsbery	00 14 10
Jos: Damant	00 04 02
Jn° Payne	00 08 09
Jn° Smith	00 15 06
Jn° Eaton	00 12 03
Tho: Aldridg	01 01 02
Nath Richards	00 18 05
Jn° Holmes	00 04 09
Jn° Bacon	00 14 10
Amos Fisher	00 12 06
Jn° Deane	00 07 00
Ralph Day	00 10 11
Widd: Bacon	00 02 08
Dan: Bacon	00 08 02
Nath: Gay	00 12 06
Comfort Starr	00 09 08
Jn° Baker	00 10 06
Tho: Payne	00 06 02
Nath: Kingsbery	00 17 10
Josh: Fisher	00 11 10
Vigi: Fisher	00 06 05
Benj: Coalburn	00 06 00
Rob[t]: Auery	00 18 01
Widd: Morse	00 00 08
Benj: Onian	00 05 06
Jn° Hunting	00 13 06
Hester Fisher vid	00 02 01
Will[m] Deane	00 07 01
Asael Smith	00 08 04
Dan: Aldis	00 05 10
Jn° Richards	00 18 04
Widd: Herring James Herring Jn° Herring	00 17 11
Nath: Coalburne Jun[r]	00 14 09
Jn° Coalburn	00 08 04
Widd: Whiting	00 14 02
Timo: Whiting	00 10 11
Jonath: Fayerbank	00 12 08
Jam: Grant	00 05 05
(172) Josiah Fisher	00 11 00
Jam: Vale jun[r]	00 07 07
D[r] Jonath Auery	00 10 01
Jonath: Fuller	00 12 01
Joseph Fayerbank	00 10 02
Benj: Fayerbank	00 07 02
James Mackanab	00 07 03
Nile Mackia	00 06 05
Saml Bullard	00 08 09
Jn° Furrington	00 16 10
Widd: Furrington Dan: Furrington	00 05 07
Nath: Furrington	00 07 11
Jn° Mackintosh Sen[r]	00 12 01
Jn° Mackintosh, jun[r]	00 04 02
James Mackerwithe Sen[r]	00 12 00
James Mackerwithe jun[r]	00 04 02
Ralph Freeman	00 07 06
Jn° Euerit	00 12 00
Sam[ll] Euerit	00 07 10
Jn° Pidge	00 10 07
Jonath: Metcalfe	00 11 00
Sam[ll] Gay	00 16 09
Jn° Hawse	00 05 00
Jedi: Euerit	00 06 08
Widd: Barbar	00 01 03
Tho Clapp Sen[r]	00 18 04
Tho: Clapp jun[r]	00 06 03
James Vale Sen[r]	00 17 00
Peter Vale	00 05 02
Isaac Chinery Sen[r]	00 06 00
Isaac Chinery jun[r]	00 04 02
Joseph Coalburn	00 05 02
Sam[ll] Coalburn	00 06 05
Dan: Wight	00 09 04
Jam Thorp jun[r]	00 00 00
John Gill	00 04 09
Joseph Newbery	00 04 02
Edw: Cooke	00 04 00

Jan 17 At the Generall Towne meeting the major part of the inhabitants, and propriators, considering the great benefit it would be to the Towne to Purchase Mr Allins Houses Lands & Comon Rights in Dedham, did cause a paper to be drawen up, wherin in ye face they by & acording to the tenure of the same voated generally that a true bill of acounts of Estate Shold be giuen in, by each inhabitant & propriator and heads Shold be Rated at 12^{d} p^{r} head in a Single rate and Leuie or Rate, be made accordingl, , and many person then subscribed to a paper that they would beare their proposition acording to the said Leuie or Rate, & Some of them named a Sume, that if it did not reach their just proportion or Rate aforesayd they wold make it up & if it weare more then their proportion they wold pay it to Promote So good a worke, for the good of the Towne

The towne by vote ordered the Selectmen to chuse a Comite to joyne with Dea: Jno Adis, which Comitte with the deacon haue full Power to act for the Towne, with all persons that are wanting in Paym^{t} of Mr Adams his Salleryes, & the Last years Sallery ended Decemb 15, to bring all acounts to the best efects, with each person therein Concearned, The Comitte chosen by the Select men are Serg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe, Serg^{t} Wm Auery, Daniell Fisher and Jno Fuller,

[173] Assembled January 25 8$\frac{9}{7}$ Mr Timo: Dwight, Lieft: Dan: Pond, Ens Richard Elice Peter Woodward and Tho: Battelle

This day Nathanell Coalburne Senr appeared, to declare that he apprehend he Posess not the farme he bought of Mr Allin according the Grant of the Towne; a comitee is apointed to joyne with the measurer; vizt Ens Thomas Fuller, & Dea John Alldis, to atend the Stateing of the farme aforesayd, as may apear to ther judgm^{t} right, & Equall, & make a true returne of ther act therin; Prouided it be done at the charge of the Sayd Nathanell Coalburne;

Viewers of fences, in the west part of the Towne, Edward Hawse & Joseph Wight

For the east part of the Towne Nath Coaburne Senr & Willm Auery For the fields one the North Side of charlse Riuer Thomas Alderidg Nath Bullard & Jno Rice Senr For the fields betwixt charles' Riuer & meadfield Road Nathanell Chickering & Jno Gay jun^{r}, For the fields betwixt Meadfield way, & Dorchester line, Jno Pidge & Samuell Euerit, For the low Playne & Roxbery playne Jonathan Fuller and Joseph Fayerbanke,

To burne the woods, for the west end of the Towne Hen: Wilson Samuell Coaleburne, Edw Hawse For the east part of the Towne Jedidiah Euerit, For the Island Andrew Duein, & Jno Rice jun^{r},

To Nath: Richards Const– A Bill giuen to Joshua Fisher of 26^{s} & 6^{d} for two generall metings of the towne & the Comitees entertaynment y^{t} met about the ministers Sallery & for entertaining the Selectmen,

Nathanell Coalburne Senr is chosen Sealer of weights & measares for this Ensueing year,

Feb 14: 168$\frac{8}{7}$ The Towne & inhabitants by Legall warneing being Asembled; by voate acted as followeth,

Imp^{r} Asaell Smith & Amos Fisher are chosen Constables for one year; begining March the tenth next Ensueing

The inhabitants & Propriato^{rs} considering the great need & use Mr Allins Houses Lands & Comon Rights might be to the Towne by them to be Purchased, Considering the Scarsyty of money in the Towne many persons moued that some Remoate Lands that Lye towards Sudbury, or Watertowne line, & the Trayneing ground might be Sould to helpe with money toward the sayd purchase

A Comitee of our Respected friends wear chosen to consider of some propositions, about the p^{re}mises The Comitee weare Ens Thomas Fuller Lieft. Nathanell Stearnes Mr Timothy Dwight, Ens Richard Ellice; Peter Woodward & James Thorpe

Peter Woodward refused this Service

[174] The Returne of the Comitee to the propriato^{rs}

1 Wee humbly Conceiue might wee be befit to Aduise, wee apprehend it might doe well the propriato^{rs} (if they saw meet) did or would Sell 300 Acres of Lands, to help purchase Mr Allins Houses, Lands & Comon Rights in Dedham, Prouided a Comitee be chosen, to view the Sayd Lands & goe through Equally therin

2 If any appear to purchase the Trayneing ground, & will give betwixt 30 & fourty pounds in money, or not much less, Keeping Suteable wayes for the use of the towne, it may be meet Consideration, to be atended,

The Returne of the Comitee relateing to Selling 300 acres of remoate Lands being read, & Considered by the propriato^{rs}, the generallyty voated their Concurance therewith, And by voate haue chosen for a Comitee, to act therin, Lieft Stearnes, Ens. Fuller, Ens. Ellice James Thorpe & Nath. Bullard who haue power to act in purchaseing Mr Allins houses & Lands & Comon Rights, & take a deed of the Same for the Towne, & to giue deeds to Such as purchase Lands of the inhabitants and propriato^{rs}, in all which the Sayd Comitee or the majo^{r} part of them haue power ro act,

The Question being propounded whether the inhabitants approued of Selling of the traineing ground, it was generally voated that it might be Sold, if the Trayned Company, the millitary officers, & Select men doe appoue therof Suteable wayes, being cared for for pasages, for all persons Concearned.

The Inhabitants & Propriato^{rs} being Legally meet Feb 25 8$\frac{6}{7}$

The inhabitants Asembled Chose Lieft Nathanell Stearnes to be the moderato^{r} of the Assembly

The end of the meeting was to endeauor to agree in what way the Inhabitants might Purchase Mr Allins Houses Lands, & Comon Rights for the good of The Towne &c

It was Generally agreed that what was agreed upon in the meeting the 17 day of January last Shold be attended & the Subscription Perfected: so far as then it might be atained

[175] The Asembly then generally agreed that a preface Shold be orderly drawen up for Substance agreeing with that p^{r}face that is before the Subscription aforesayd, & the Subscription to be brought into Legall forme, so as may be safe for any that Shall be called by the Towne inabitants, & propriato^{rs} to act upon, or by

The assembly then chose there Respected friends Ens Tho Fuller, Lieft Nathanell Stearnes, Lieft Daniell Pond, Ens: Richard Ellice & James Thorpe ther Comitte to draw up the forme p^{r}face & Subscription to prepare it to be perfected the Next Generall meeting

The next 7th day of March is appointed a Generall meeting of all the Inhabitants & Propriato^{rs} in Dedham, to atend to Perfect the worke aforesayd

The Inhabitants & Propriators being assembled the 7th day of march to Consider & act about the purchaseing Mr Allins Houses, Lands & Comon Rights, difficaltys appearing the mater is left to further Consideration.

The 11 day of March Assembled, Mr Timothy Dwight, Lief^{t}: Dan: Pond Ens Ellice, Peter Woodward: & Thomas Battelle, to make ye Countery Rate, the Coppy whereof is inserted, in the End of this Booke,

The 14 of Apperill Assembled Mr Timo: Dwight, Ens: Richard Ellice & Tho: Battelle Eleazer Kingsbery, Jno Smith, Jno Rice jun^{r} are chosen to joyne with the persons chosen by Wattertowne Select men to run the line betwixt Wattertowne &, Dedham,

April 25 A bill is giuen Mr Jno Elliot Schoole m^{r} to receiue of James Thorpe, & Nathanell Richards Constables fourtie Shillings in money, & three pounds in corne paym^{t}, ; more to receiue three pounds of the Comitte intrusted with the Schoole money vizt Ens: Fuller Lieft Pond Serg^{t} Metcalfe, this bill returned

April 30 Assembled after Trayneing Lieft Dan Pond Ens Richard Ellice & Tho: Battell, to joyne with Dea Jno Aldis to Prepare Paym^{t} for Capt Fitch Esqr vpon the account of what the Towne is yet behind in paying Mr Adams Sallery formerly due ;

John Battelle & Jonathan Battelle desired to haue the use of Some Comon Land to Streighten ther fence in takeing in ther meadow at Natick brook, ther motion is granted, to continue untill the Towne Se Cause otherwise to dispose of ye Sayd Land,

[176] Assembled August 15 Mr Timo: Dwight, Ens Richard Ellice & Peter Woodward Lieft Dan Pond & Tho: Battelle.

The Select men haue fully Leat & put our to Rent to: Amos Fisher & Daniell Pond jun^{r} of Dedham (for Six Shillings p^{r} year in money, for the use of the propriato^{rs}) all the meadow and meadow bottom, that is not yet Layd out to any persons, Lyeing betwixt Natick Deuident So caled, & Natick, Sudbury—& Wattertowne Lines & also a Small percell neer wher the Indians intended a Saw mill & this Lease to Continue untill the propriato^{rs} in Dedham do Lay out the Sayd Lands, or otherwise dispose of the Same

6. 6. 87: At a meeting of the propriato^{rs} of the Comon lands in Dedham August 19 It being Put to voate whether the Propriato^{rs} will Lay out a deuident of two acres to each cowe Comon Right

The Propriato^{rs} agreed, & by vote Concluded that a deuident of two acres to each Cowe Comon Righte (formerly agreed upon) Should be layd out and each propriato^{r} Concearned, haue liberty to chose his Lands in any Comon Lands in Dedham, Exceept the lands that Lye on the Northerly Side of the way from Shearborne to the falls, Each Propriato^{r} Concearned haue liberty to chuse & bring in his choyce to Ens: Richard Ellice the first Second day of the week in October next at eight a clock in the morneing, at the Ordihary, & so from time to time after, and those persons that Put in ther Choyce first, are to haue ther choyce, & if more then one Put in for the Same Place, it is to be decided by lot who Shall haue it, if they doe not otherwise agree, & no person Concearned Shall haue any benefit or advantage of choyces by chuseing & puting in his choyce before ye time p^{e}fixed aforesaid, The measurer aforesaid is to take care, that Suteable wayes be rezerued to persons lands, Layd out, or yet to be Layd out

Assembled August 19 Lief^{t} Pond, Ens Ellice Peter Woodward & Tho: Battelle

Nath Heaton moueing to haue his meadow or brushy Land giuen him in the year 69, to be Layd out, Ens Fuller Ens Ellice & Nathanell Bullard the p^{r}sant Comitee or any 2 of y^{m} are impowered to Lay out the Sayd Land according to the grant of the propriato^{rs} as aforesayd

Ens Thomas Fuller p^{re}sent a bill bearing date Jull 12: 87 vnder the hand of Mr Jno Eliot Late Schoolem^{r} wherein Mr Eliot owne the receit of twenty Shillings in Siluer of Ens Tho: Fuller as a part of the money due to him

Payd to Petter Woodward from Samuel Morse of meadfield for timber Sold him to make 300 rayles the Sume of 3^{s}—6 in money vpon the acount of Mr Eliote Late schoolemaster

Lieft Daniell Pond & Ens Richard Ellice beaing apointed & Empowered to Lay out a way ouer the great Brook near Natick toward pagan hill haue Layd it out from Ralph Dayes Land wher it is now drawen to ther owne Land wher it is now drawen & So by Thomas Battells land by the corner of

Nathanell Richard Lot as it is marked out & ther ouer the Brook to hard land

[177] Assembled Decemb: 25: 1687 Capt Timo Dwight, Lieft Dan: Pond: Ens: Richard Ellice Peter Woodard & Tho: Battelle

Nathanell Coalburne Senr appeared before the Select men declareing that he account the farme that he bought of Mr Daniell Allin Extend not to the quantyty granted by this Towne to Sayd farme therefore moue to haue a Comitee chosen to lay out So much land as is wanting in the sayd farme in Such Comon lands of the Towne as is not yet Layd out, where he Shall Chuse it by his farme one the easterly part thereof

The Comitee mutually chosen to determine this Case is the fiue men hereafter named, they or the major part of them to make a full determination & Isue, & make there returne the Comitte is Capt Timo: Dwight, Ens: Richard Ellice Thomas Alderidg, Daniel Fisher & Eleazer Kingsbery

	£	s	d
Due to Joshua Fisher for entertaimt of Select men	1	3	3
Due to Mr Elliot for keeping Schoole 2£ in money and 3£ in corne besides the bills giuen out	5	0	0
Due to Benjamin Onian for Ringing the bell Etc	2	10	0
Due to the Towne from John Furington as he was Constable, due to the towne in money paymt	4	3	10
Due from John Deane Late Constable to the Towne in corne pay the Sume of	2	19	8
Due from John Euerit Late Constable to the Towne in money paymt	2	12	0

At a Generall Towne meeting the Second day of Jan 168⅞

1 It was agreed the care of ye repaireing of the Cartbridge in the Towne, ouer the riuer into the Island, is left to the Select men, & Surveyers that are to be chosen at this meeting

2 The care of remoueing the Schoole house to a Suteable Place, & repaireing the Same well & Sufficiently, So as may be comfortable to keep Schoole in, is left to the care of the Selectmen, now to be chosen & also a rate for ministers maintainance for halfe a year, by the rules formerly used

3 Concearneing the keeping Schoole, & the way of rayseing Suteable Paymt, for a Schoole mr is left to be considered & determined, the first meet opertunity

Elections are as followeth for the year ensueing

Thomas Battelle is chosen to be Towne Recorder, & one of ye Select men for the year ensueing

Capt Timothy Dwight Liefr Daniell Pond Ens: Richard Elice James Thorp, Selectmen Ens: Richard Ellice Robert Ware Thomas Fisher & Nathanell Gay Surveyers

[178] At the Generall meeting aforesaid Asahel Smith was chosen

The Towne Treasurer for the year Ensueing, to make demand, Sue, & recouer the Townes debts acording to law, as he Shall be aduised by the Selectmen ordinaryly, & he to receiue monyes from the inhabitants to cary on Such Sutes at law, or maters of trouble, in this kind etc

The Last Second day of y^e week in February next is appointed to be a Generall Towne meeting of the inhabitants & propriators

January 9–168$\frac{7}{8}$ Assembled Capt Timothy Dwight Lieft Daniell Pond Ens: Richard Ellice, James Thorpe & Tho: Battelle

The proportion of each person in this Towne for the ministers Sallery for halfe a year begining December 15 1687 at one peny halfe farthing in the pound as followeth

	s	d
Dea Jn° Aldis	09	02
Nath Coalburn Senr	10	00
Capt Timo: Dwight	14	10
Ens: Richard Elice	08	09
Serg^t Tho: Metcalfe	08	08
Serg^t Sam^ll Guile	08	03
Serg^t Ezra Morse	07	00
Serg^t Willm Auery	07	02
Lieft Nath Stearnes	10	00
Jn° Richards	08	10
Jn° Huntting	10	04
Asael Smith	03	07
Wm Deane	03	05
Hest: Fisher	01	01
Benj: Onian	02	00
Dan: Aldis	03	03
Josh: Fisher	05	08
Vigi: Fisher	02	04
Wid: Herring & John Herring	05	11
Nath: Coalburn jun^r	07	00
Jn° Coalburne	05	53
Vid Whitting	06	10
Timo: Whitting	05	08
Jonath: Faierbanke	06	06
Josia Fisher	05	06
James Vale jun^r	03	10
Sam^ll Gay	06	10
Pet: Woodward	12	04
Jam: Thorpe	06	11
Dr Jonath: Auery	07	02
Jonath: Fuller	08	02
Jos: Faierbank	05	00
Benj: Faierbank	02	08
Jonath Metcalfe	05	01
Jn° Furrington	10	01
Saml: Bullard	04	06
Nath–, Farrington	03	09
Ralph Freeman	03	00
Jn° Euerit	06	05
Sam^ll: Euerit	04	07
Jn° Pidge	04	08
Jam: Mackanab	03	06
Jn° Mackintosh Senr	05	01
Jam: Mackerwithy Senr	04	10
Wid: Barber	01	00
Jedi: Euerit	02	01
Jam: Herring	03	09
Jn° Hawse	01	11
[179] Jn° Mackintosh iun^r	01	08
Jam: Mackerwithy jun^r	02	04
Pet: Thorpe	01	08
Ralph Freeman jun^r	01	08
Jam: Grant	02	06
Nile Mackia	01	06
Jn° Gay Senr	02	03
Ens: Thomas Fuller	12	03
Lieft Dan: Pond	07	06
Robt Ware	14	01
Tho: Battelle	05	07
Nath Bullard	05	05

Mich: Metcalfe	06 04	Dan: Fisher	12 02
Jn° Smith	07 04	Nath: Chickering	05 07
Jn° Eaton	06 01	Jn° Battelle	03 11
Jn° Paine	04 05	Widow Hawes & Joseph Hawse	04 10
Jos: Damant	01 11	Tho: Fisher	05 00
Eleaz: Kingsbery	08 09	Tho: Hall	04 06
Tho: Aldridge	09 00	Robt Auery	07 10
Jn° Rice Senr	06 06	Nath: Kingsbery	06 01
Jn° Rice junr	01 10	Tho: Paine	03 05
Saml: Milles	07 05	Joh: Mason & Tho Ockinton	09 10
Benj Milles	05 08	Jn° Baker	06 06
Saml: Barber	04 01	Nath Gay	06 06
Eph: Ware	04 07	Comf: Star	05 00
Jn° Gill	02 00	Ralph Day	06 00
Andrew Duein	05 00	Wid: Bacon	01 01
Wid Duein & Jonath Duein	07 00	Jn° Bacon	05 06
Hen: Wilson	04 00	Dan: Bacon	03 11
Epherim Wilson	04 07	Nath: Richards	10 04
Danl- Wight	05 05	Amos Fisher	06 01
Jn° Gay junr	05 08	Jn° Dean	03 06
Jonath: Gay	04 06	Saml: Coalburn	04 04
Edward Cooke	02 03	Jos: Coalburn	02 06
Jn° Fisher	06 02	Nath: Hawse	02 06
Jn° Ellice	01 05	Saml Bacon	01 11
Jonath Battelle	03 00	Dan: Pond junr	01 08
Joseph Wight	06 02	Widow Morse	01 00

[180] January 16-168$\frac{7}{8}$ Assembled Capt Timothy Dwight, Lieft Daniell Pond Ens: Richard Ellice, James Thorpe & Tho: Battelle

Reckoned with John Farrington, Late Constable and all acounts betwixt him & the Towne cleared and due from John Furrington to the Towne in corne paymt four pounds one Shilling & ten pence, more in money pay one pound nineteen 19s Shilling & eight pence 1£—19s

168$\frac{7}{8}$ January 23 Assemb: Capt Timo Dwight Ens: Rich: Ellice James Thorpe & Tho: Battelle

To make the County Rate at one farthing in the pound, according to the warrant from the County Treasurer

Viewers of fences in the westerly part of the Towne Nath: Kingsbery & Nathanell Gay For the easterly part of the Towne Jn° Richards and Joseph Fairbank For the fields one the North side of Charles Riuer Eleazer Kingsbery & Jn° Smith For the fields betwixt meadfield way & charles Riuer

Nath: Bullard & Amos Fisher For the fields betwixt Meadfield way and Dorchester line Jn° Euerit; & Jn° Deane For the low plaine & Roxbury playne Ezra Morse & Jonathan Fayerbank

To burne the woods for the west end of the Towne, Hen: Wilson, Sam^{ll} Coalburne & Jn° Ellice For the east end of the Towne Jn° Hawse For the Island Jn° Rice Senr & Samuell Barber

Nathanell Coalburne Senr is chosen Sealers of weights & measures for this ensueing year

Nathanell Gay & Nathanell Kingsbery are requested and deputed by the Select men to asist Dea: Jn° Aldis to gather in the payment that remayne due from all persons in this Towne, for the ministers sallery the last year begining Nouemb 15-1686-to the 15 day Nouember 1687

Feb: 6: Assembled Capt Timothy Dwight, Ens Richard Elice James Thorpe & Tho: Battelle,

[181] Ens: Thomas Fuller, Nathanell Bullard, & Nathanel Gay are deputed and empowered to Lay out a cart passage or way one the northerly side of Charles Riuer, from the way that [ ] the great plaine, to the schoole ground, & other Lands towards the Riuer that Lyeth further westward and also a leading way to the Northerly end of the schoole ground wher it now is drawen, if the way aforesaid be not sufficient for the, needfull supply of s^{d} Lands,

A bill is giuen to Serg^{t} Thomas Metcale, to receiue for the use of the Towne of Jn° Farrington formerly Constable the sume of £4—1^{s}—10^{d} in Corne pay & 1£—19^{s}—8^{d} in money due from him to the Towne, upon ballance of accounts as aforesd

The Inhabitants of this Towne being warned & asembled Febuary 27 168$\frac{7}{8}$ did chose Joseph Wight & Josiah Fisher Constables, for this Towne for the year ensueing

Ens: Richard Ellice is desired to ataine the acts of the Honrd Councell vpon as reasonable tearmes as he cant, to be payd by the towne the first opertunity

Aprill 27 Assembled Capt Timothy Dwight, Ens: Rich: Ellice & Thomas Battelle and also Asael Smith & Amos Fisher Constables

Serg^{t} William Auery is chosen Sealer of weights and measures, acording to the Act of the Honrd Councell, Care is taken to git our weights & measures new sealed or ataine new as need require

Money Lent to the Mesenger that carry the measures & weights, Ens Richard Ellice 6^{d} Tho Battelle 1^{s} Asahel Smith 6^{d} Amos Fisher 6^{d}, with a promise to the mesenger that Carry the weights & measures a meet recompence for his paines

May 12 Assembled Capt Timothy Dwight, Lieft Daniell Pond Ens: Richard Ellice, & Thos: Battelle

Capt Timothy Dwight is requested & Empowered to demand & receiue the paymt due from Jno Rocket of Mendum, for meadows formerly Leat to him, & upon receit of sd paymt to giue receits or acquittance, that sd paymt may be improued to help pay the Townes Debts,

Asahel Smith is desired & Empowered to gather up the debts due to the Towne, from any person in this Towne, that the paymt may be improued for the Towne use, & Ens Richard Ellice is desired to asist the sd Asahel Smith, & to giue him advice in all maters of concearne, whose advice is to be atended,

[182] The 6th of January 1689-90 being ye day of the Towne generall meeting: Jn which they choose A Town Recorder & selectmen with other things which are as followeth

John Fuller was chosen to keepe the Townes Bookes & to be one of the Selectmen Daniell Fisher Ezra Morse Wm Auery Joseph Wight Selectmen Tho Battely James Thorp Tho Aldridg Nath Kingsbury Are Chosen Surueyors for ye Yeare Insueing Ensgn Ellice Nathll Bullard Tho Aldridg Are Chosen A Comitee too Care for and loock after the bridges

Capt Sterns & James Thorp Are Chosen to Joyn With the Select Men to make up accounts for ye Town in their former Reconings With Const & Such like for the Repairing of ye School hous att ye Townes Charg Asahail Smith Daniell Fisher Natha Kingsbury are Chosen A Commitee to procure and See done said Schoolehous ye first operteunity

It was put to the Towne Whether they Will Chose any to Joyn with ye Deacon in the Justing of accounts for ye last year Respecting ye Ministry and allso for ye year insuing it was Voted in ye affirmatiue and Laft Tho Fuller Sergt Tho Metcalf & Danielll Fisher are Chosen by ye Town to that Seruice

It was put to ye Town Whether they will haue A Single Rate made to Defray ye Townes Debts and to Repaire ye Schoole hous & mend ye glass of ye meeting house said Single Rate to be one fourth part money ye other three parts in Corn att price currant Voted in ye affirmatiue

6 Febru 1689-90: Assembled Ezra Mors William Auery Danll Fisher Joseph Wight John Fuller, men appoynted to burne ye Woods Samll Colborn John Hawes Edward Coocke men appointed to vew fences Nath Gay Nath Richards for ye westerly part of ye Towne Jona Fairbank and Timo Whiting for ye Est part of ye Town Eleaz Kingsbery & Micael Metcalf for ye Iland & fields on North sid of Chorls Riuer John Euerit Samll Gay for ye South part of ye Towne

Nathaniell Colborn Seno is Chosen Sealer for ye year insuing.

[183] A Rate Made to Defray Town Charges att one penie pr pound ass Sum̃ Debts & Repairing yc School hous and ye glass of ye Meting house ye Whole to be paid one fourth part in mony and ye other three parts in Corn att prise current

	s	d		s	d
			Benia Colborn	2	6
Capt Nath Sterns	6	9	Vid Jone Barbur	0	6
Ens Rich Elles	7	6	Vid Morse	0	2
Capt Tim^{o} Dwight	9	11	John Hunting	8	11
Dac^{o} John Aldis	2	11	Jam Mackerwethy iuno	1	10
Nath Colborn Sen	6	9	John Colborn	4	0
Pet^{r} Woodward	10	8	Will Dean	3	6
Jon^{a} Fairbank	5	5	Vid Whiting	5	01
Jam Thorp	3	3	Timothy Whiting	4	8
Sam^{ll} Gild	6	4	Vido Richards	3	0
John Pidg	4	5	Vigillenc Fisher	2	7
Jno Eueret	4	11	Joshua Fisher	4	10
Jno^{a} Fuller	5	10	John Aldis	3	2
Sam^{ll} Eueret	3	8	Dan^{ll} Aldis	4	2
Jon^{a} Metcalf	3	11	Jams Macknab	3	3
Josi Fisher	4	4	Joseph Damant	2	9
Jno Farrington	5	6	Sam^{ll} Bullard	2	10
Jno Deane	3	0	Josep Fairbank	3	11
Nath Farington	3	0	Beni Fairbank	2	4
Jam Fales	3	8	Vid Auery	2	4
Jno Mackingtosh	4	4	Will Auery	6	4
Jam^{s} Mackerwethy Seno	3	2	Ezra Morse	6	8
Peter Thorpe	1	8	Asah Smith	2	10
Joseph Elles	01	11	Jams Fales Seno	4	10
John Elles	2	8	Tho Clap	3	7
John Hawes	2	7	Peter Fales	2	4
Jededi Eueret	2	6	Josh Clap	6	6
Serg^{t} Tho Metcalf	7	2	Ral Freeman	4	4
Tho Hering	3	9	John Thorp	1	11
Nath Colborn iuno	4	8	Sam^{ll} Gay	4	9

thus far of this rate is Comited into the hand of James Thorp Cons^{t}

Lef^{t} Tho Fuller	6	5	Ephr Ware	2	10
Lef^{t} Dan^{ll} Pond	5	7	Sam^{ll} Aldridg	2	0
Tho Battely	4	8	Beni Mels	4	7
Robt Ware	10	7	Vid Sarah Barber	1	6
Sam^{ll} Mels	4	4	Tho Fuller	5	11
Tho Aldridg	6	3	John Gill	2	5
Micha Metcalf	5	0	John Fuller	4	10
John Smith	4	10	And Dewing	5	4
John Rice	6	01	Eleazer Kingsbery	6	9
John Pain	3	6	Jon^{a} Gay	4	9

Nath Haws	2	3	Dan^{ll} Pond	2	2
Tho Pain	3	3	John Gay	4	8
Vid Gay	0	5	Nath Bullard	4	11
Dan^{ll} Bacon	3	10	Nath Richards	6	8
Eph Chenery	2	0	Eph Willson	3	10
John Backer	5	5	Dan^{ll} Wight	3	7
Nath Kingsbery	4	10	John Bacon	4	5
Tho Ockington	5	01	Amos Fisher	3	7
Tho Hall	3	7	Sam^{ll} Colborn	3	3
Jon^{a} Dewing	3	0	Dan^{ll} Draper	2	8
Tho Fisher	3	10	Sam^{ll} Bacon	3	3
Josep Hawes	3	10	Isack Chenery Sen^{o}	3	0
Jno Battely	3	6	Isack Chenery iun^{o}	2	0
Nath Chickering	6	3	Na^{t} Gay	4	7
Dan^{ll} Fisher	7	1	Comf^{t} Star	3	7
Jose Wight	4	6	Ralp Day	04	06
Jon^{a} Battely	2	9	Rob^{rt} Auery	7	2
Edw Coocke	2	10	Ben Oynnion	2	10
John Fisher	4	3	Sam^{ll} Ware	1	8
John Eaton	4	4	Vid Bacon	0	4

this last part of ye Rate is Comited into ye hand of Dan^{ll} Pond Const

March 17: 1690 Assembled after training Ezra Mors William Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight John Fuller

A bill is giuen to Benj Onion to Receiue of Dan^{ll} Pond Cons^{t} fiue pound in Corn pay for Ringing of ye bell and sweeping of ye Meeting hous ye 2 last yeares out of ye Towne Rate now in said Cons^{t} hand mind this bill bears date ye 18 of March

[184] A bill is Giuen to Capt Nath Sterns to Receiue of Jam^{a} Thorp Cons^{t} 3 pound in mony & 3 pounds in Corn pay for Depityes Charges out of ye Towne Rate nowe in his hand

Tithing Men Capt Dwight Sarg^{t} Metcalf Robert Ware Tho Battely Jam Fals Sen^{o} Tho Fisher Nath Gay Nath Kingsbury Jona Metcalf Eleazer Kingsbery

Apriell 22 Assembled Ezra Morse William Auery Joseph Wight & John Fuller haueing notis from Wattertowne to send men to Newe marke the line betwen their towne and oures Eleazer Kingsbury Andrew Dewing Jona Gay are Chosen to Joyn with Wattertowne men in that seruice

21 May Assembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight John Fuller

A bill is Giuen to Joseph Colborn to Receiue of Dan^{ll} Pond Constable ten Shillings in Corn pay out of ye Towne Rate now in his hand for killing A Woolfe

ye 28 of May Assembled Ezra Mors Daniell Fisher Joseph Wight John Fuller

A Rate made by vertue of the Generall Courts order and Warran^t from ye Treasurer Wherein Each Inhabitant is Assesed att ten pence on ye pound to be paid in Corn att price According to Warrant

	lb	s	d				
Left Tho Fuller	2	16	2	Josep Wight	01	19	05
Left Dan Pond	01	14	3	John Battely	01	04	01
Tho Battely	02	00	10	Edw Coocke	01	04	10
Robert Ware	04	12	7	John Fisher	01	17	03
Sam^ll Mels	01	03	4	Dan^ll Pond	00	19	00
Tho Aldridg	02	14	9	John Gay	02	10	00
Eleaz Kingsbe	02	12	6	Nath Bullard	02	03	01
John Eaton	01	17	11	Nath Richards	02	18	04
Tho Pain	01	08	6	Ephra Willson	01	13	07
Mich Metcalf	02	03	9	Dan^ll Wight	01	11	05
John Smith	02	02	4	John Bacon	01	18	19
John Rice	02	13	3	Amos Fisher	01	11	05
John Pain	01	10	6	Sam^ll Colborn	01	08	06
Ephr Ware	01	04	10	Joseph Colborn	01	15	00
Sam^ll Aldridg	00	17	06	Dan^ll Draper	01	03	04
Benj Mels	02	00	01	Sam^ll Bacon	01	00	05
Vid Sarah Barber	00	13	01	Isak Chenery Sen^o	12	06	03
Tho Fuller	02	11	08	Isak Chenery jun^o	00	17	06
John Gill	01	02	02	Nath Gay	02	00	02
John Fuller	02	02	04	Comf^t Star	01	11	05
And^r Dewing	02	06	08	Ralph Day	01	19	05
Jon^a Gay	02	01	07	Robr Auery	02	06	01
Nath Hawes	00	19	08	Benj Oynion	01	04	10
Vid Gay	00	03	08	Sam^ll Ware	01	14	07
Dan^ll Bacon	01	13	07	Vid Bacon	00	02	11
Eph Chenery	00	17	06	Nath Colborn Sen^o	02	19	01
John Baker	02	07	05	Benj Colborn	01	01	11
Nath Kingsbry	02	02	04	Vid Barbur	00	04	05
Tho Ockington	02	04	06	Vid Morse	00	01	06
Meth Ockington	00	14	07	(185) Capt Sterns	03	05	08
Jona Dewing	01	06	08	Ens Ellice	00	11	01
Tho Hall	01	11	06	Dacon Aldrig	01	05	06
Tho Fisher	01	13	07	Capt Dwight	04	06	09
Joseph Hawes	01	13	07	Jon^a Fairbank	02	07	05
John Battely	01	10	08	Pet Wooward	04	13	04
Nath Chickering	02	14	07	Jam Thorp	01	08	06
Dan^ll Fisher	03	02	00	Sam Gile	02	15	05

John Pidg	01 18 08	Jam Fales Seno	02 02 04
John Eueret	02 03 00	Tho Clap	01 11 04
Jon^{s} Fuller	02 11 01	Pet Fales	01 00 05
San^{ll} Eueret	01 12 01	John Thorp	00 16 09
Jon^{s} Metcalf	01 14 04	Jno Hunting	03 01 01
Josiah Fisher	01 17 11	Jam Mackerwet iuno	00 16 01
Will Auery	02 15 05	John Colburn	00 15 00
Ezra Morse	02 18 04	Will Dean	01 01 08
Asal Smith	01 04 10	Vid Whiting	02 04 09
Sam^{ll} Gay	02 01 07	Tim^{o} Whiting	02 00 10
Jno Farington	02 08 02	Vid Richards	01 06 03
John Dean	01 06 03	Vigel Fisher	0 [2] 1 02 07
Nath Farington	01 06 03	Joshua Fisher	02 02 04
Jam Fales iuno	01 12 01	Dan^{ll} Aldis	01 07 06
Jno Mackingtosh	01 15 01	John Aldis	01 07 09
Jam Mackerwe se	01 07 09	Jam Mackenab	01 08 05
Pet Thorp	00 14 07	Josep Damant	01 04 01
Josep Ellice	00 16 09	Sam^{ll} Bullard	01 04 10
John Ellice	01 03 04	Josep Fairbank	01 01 03
John Hawes	01 02 07	Beni Fairbank	01 00 05
Jeded Eueret	01 01 11	Vid Auery	01 00 05
Tho Metcalf	03 02 09	Josh Clap	02 16 1
Tho Hering	01 02 10	Ralp Fremam	01 17 11
Nath. Colburn iuno	02 00 10	Do Nath Fiske	00 14 07
Elica Fisher	00 17 27		

Agust ye 8 Assembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller A Rate Made by vertue of ye Generall Courts Order and Warrant from the Treasurer In which Each inhabitant is Assessed att tooe penc halfe penie on ye pound to be paid in money

Capt Sterns	00 16 10	San^{ll} Gild	00 14 03
Capt Dwight	01 02 03	John Pig	00 09 11
Left Fuller	00 14 05	John Eueret	00 11 00
Left Pond	00 12 07	John Fuller	00 10 10
Ensi Ellice	00 13 01	Jon^{s} Fuller	00 12 01
Nath Colborn Sen^{o}	00 15 02	Sam^{ll} Eueret	00 08 03
Deacon Aldus	00 02 10	Jon^{s} Metcalf	00 08 09
Tho Battely	00 10 06	Josiah Fisher	00 09 09
Rober^{t} Ware	01 03 10	John Farington	00 12 04
Tho Metcalfe	00 16 01	John Dean	00 06 09
Pet Woodward	01 04 00	Nath Farington	00 06 09
Jam Thorp	00 07 04	Jam^{s} Fales jun^{o}	00 08 03
Jon^{s} Fairbank	0 12 22	John Mackingtosh	00 09 09

Peter Thorpe	00 03 09
John Ellice	00 06 00
Joseph Ellice	00 04 03
John Hawes	00 05 09
Jededi Eueret	00 05 07
Tho Herring	00 08 05
Nath Colborn iuno	00 10 06
Beni Colborn	00 05 07
Vid Joan Barbur	00 01 01
Vid Morse	00 00 05
John Hunting	01 00 00
Jan^{s} Mackerwethy iun^{o}	00 03 10
John Colborn	00 09 00
Will Dean	00 07 10
Vid Whiting	00 11 05
Tim^{o} Whiting	00 10 06
Doc^{t} Nath Fiske	00 04 02
Vid Richards	00 06 09
Vigel Fisher	00 05 09
Josh Fisher	00 10 010
John Aldis	00 07 01
Dan^{ll} Aldis	00 09 04
Jam Mackenab	00 07 03
Josep Damant	00 06 02
Sam^{ll} Bullard	00 06 04
Josep Fairbank	00 08 09
Beni Fairbank	00 05 03
Vid Auery	00 05 03
Will Auery	00 14 03
Ezra Morse	00 15 00
Asa Smith	00 06 04
Jam Fales Senr	00 10 10
Tho Clap	00 08 00
Peter Fales	00 05 03
Josh Clap	00 14 07
Ralph Freeman	00 09 09
John Thorp	00 04 03
San^{ll} Gay	00 10 08
Eleaz Fisher	00 04 06
San^{ll} Mells	00 06 00
Tho Aldridg	00 14 01
Elie Kingsbery	00 13 06
John Eaton	00 09 09
Tho Pain	00 07 04
Mich Metcalf	00 11 03
John Smith	00 10 10
John Rice	00 13 08
John Pain	00 04 01
Eph Ware	00 06 04
Sam^{ll} Aldridg	00 04 06
Beni Mels	00 10 04
V'd Sarah Barber	00 02 00
Tho Fuller	00 13 00
John Gill	00 04 00
Andr Dewing	00 12 00
(190[1]) Jon^{s} Gay	00 10 08
Nath Hawes	00 05 00
Vid Gay	00 01 00
Dan^{ll} Bacon	00 08 07
Eph Chenery	00 04 26
John Backer	00 12 02
Nath Chickering	00 09 00
Tho Ockington	00 11 05
Jon^{s} Dewing	00 06 09
Tho Hall	00 08 01
Tho Fisher	00 08 07
Josep Hawes	00 08 07
John Battely	00 07 00
Vid Bracket	00 01 00
Nath Kingsbery	00 10 10
Danll Fisher	00 15 11
Joseph Wight	00 10 01
Jon^{s} Battely	00 06 02
Edw Coock	00 06 04
John Fisher	00 09 00
Dan^{ll} Pond	00 04 06
John Gay	00 10 06
Nath Bullard	00 11 00
Eph. Willson	00 06 07
Dan^{ll} Wight	00 08 01
John Bacon	00 09 11
Amos Fisher	00 08 10
Jam^{s} Mackerwethy	00 03 04
Sam^{ll} Colborn	00 7 03

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Josep Colborn	00 07 00	Ralph Day	00 10 01
Dan^{ll} Draper	00 06 00	Rob$_{t}$ Auery	00 16 01
Sam^{ll} Bacon	00 05 03	Beni Oynion	00 06 04
Isak Chenery Sen	00 06 09	Sam^{ll} Ware	00 03 09
Isak Chenery iun^{o}	00 04 06	Vid Bacon	00 00 09
Nath Gay	00 10 04	Josep Ellice Sen	00 03 09
Conf^{t} Star	00 08 01		

26: 6: 90 The inhabi^{t}ence being Assembled Lef^{t} Tho Fuller is Chosen Commissoner for ye year insueing

Jon^{a}Me^{t}ecalf and Ralph Day are Chosen Constables for ye year insueing

ye 6: 8: 90 Asembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight John Fuller: Lef^{t} Tho Fuller Comisoner being tacken a way by Death Jam^{s} Thorp is Desired and betrusted to apper on ye Townes behalf att ye sheir meting att Boston according to lawe

ye 3: 9: 90 Assembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller Ensi Ellice & Dan^{ll} Fisher are desired to agree with Tho Battely to keep ye schoole and allso to procure a conueniant house Rome to keep ye schoole in

Ensigne Ellice & Dan^{ll} Fisher make Return that they haue hired Thō Battely to keep ye schole tooe months December and january Next insueing for which seruice he is to haue for a Recompene three pounds: six shillings and eight pene in Corn Indian att 3^{s} pr bushel Ry at 4^{s} pr buhsel and allso they haue procured a Roome of m^{r} Allen in his house to keep ye schoole in

31: 10: 90 Asembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller

A bill is giuen to Lef^{t} Dan^{ll} Pond to Receiue of Jams Thorp Cons^{t} Nine shillings in money for 2^{s} paid to Mr Dudley for signing a Towne Rate & ^{s}6 for a New Wheel for ye bell & one shill for Irons for ye said Wheel and Nine shillings in Corn pay for worke done about ye Cart bridg and for mending ye bell Wheel out of ye Towne Rate nowe in his hand

A bill is giuen to Tho Battely to Receiue of Jams Thorp Constable one shilling in money out of ye Towne Rate nowe in his hand for money he lent to ye Towne in ye year 87

A bill is giuen to Joshua Fisher to Receiue of Jams Thorp Cons^{t} sixten shillings in Corn pay out of ye Towne Rate nowe in his hand for Entertaining ye Towne ye tooe last metings

[**191**] The 5: 11: 1690 Att a Generall Meting of ye Inhabitants & Propriators

To ye first propōs for to Choose sumē met person to tacke care of and

maintain ye Townes stocke of amunition to this service the Towne by vot haue Chosen Thomas Fuller

in answer to ye second proposition that is Refering to ye Cart Bridg unto ye great Iland the Towne by vot Declare that they will haue said Bridg Repaired by highway Work what of highway Worke is behind in years past and allso worke in ys year insueing and ye Surueyers haue libertey for this year to Requir of the inhabitants more then three dayes worke in ye high way if need be and allso haue Chosen a Comittey to see and procure ye said Bridg to be done the Comittey Chosen are Ensign Ellice Eleaz Kingsbury Left Pond Dan[ll] Fisher John Fuller

this land is entailed and canot be sold This Day Nathn[ll] Richards moueth for fiue pound in money said Nath[ll] Lent ye Towne to pay Josiah ye Indian the Towne. by vote dclare that they will pay this Debt what of it is not all redey paid and farther ye Towne declare ther mind is that ye Landing Plac att Dorchester shall be sold to pay said Debt

allso ye Towne by vot Declare ther mind is and doe herby impower and betrust ye Selectmennowe to be Chosen to sell said landing place and giue Deed and make conueyance of ye same allso to paye ye abouesaid Debt and giue an account theirof to ye Towne

The proportioning of a Selerey for ye Ministrey for ye year insueing is left to ye Select men nowe to be chosen

Land to be Layed out 2 acres to a right vid.–87 Wheras Sume time in Eightey Seuen it was concluded by ye propriators to ade twoe acres and a half of Land to a Cowe Comon to that Deuident of twoe acres to a Comon Granted in ye year eightie Seuen

The propriators this day by vot declare that they doe confirme that act and wheras it was not Recorded in ye day of it the propriators by vot declar ther mind is that the Recorder now to be chosen shall Record the Same in ye Towne Boocke with a Reseruation of that plat of Land on ye North sid of ye Road from ye lower falls to Sherborn as was before

Elections John Fuller is Chosen Recorder and on of ye Select men Ezra Mors Dan[ll] Fisher Will Auery Joseph Wight Select men for ye year insueing Sirueyers Ensig Ellic Tho Aldridg Sam[ll] Guild Nath Kingsbury Joseph Wight The Towne by vot declare that they will chuse a commitey to Reckon with ye Deacon for ye Ministers Solerey for this year and allso for years past that are not allredy cleared and this Comitey are impoured to gather up all ye Remains of Solereys that ye Deacon canot obtain and what cannot be obtained in money they are to git in Sumthing else and make ye best they can of it and make Returne of ye whol to ye Towne at the Generall meting next January The Comtey chosen ar Sarg[t] Tho Metcalf Nath Gay and Sam[ll] Guill

[192] This Day ye Towne Renew ther Choic of Capt Sterns & Jams Thorp to joyn with ye Select men to Reckon with the former Cons^{t} and Clear all old Counts and make Returne to ye Towne therof

The Select men are desired and impoured to Demand and Receiue ye Rent for ye meadowe leat to god man Roket of mendham)

The Towne by vot Declare that they will haue persons seated in ye Meeting house and this Worke is left to a Comitey who ar as foloweth Ensign Ellice Left Pond Sargt Guild Sargt Metcalf Ezra Mors John Fuller With ye Dacon

ye 13: 11: 90 Asembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller

A Rate made By vertue of ye General Courts Order and Warrant from ye Tresurer to ye value of three hundred thirty foure pound Six shillin & Eight penc Wherin Each Inhabitant is Assesed as foloweth

[*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Capt Timo Dwight, Capt Nath Sterns, Ens Rich Ellice, Dacon John Aldis, Nath Colborn Sen^{o}, Left Dan^{ll} Pond, Joseph Colborn, Sam^{ll} Colborn, Tho Fisher, Tho Hall, Nath Hawes, Joseph Hawes, John Battell, John Fisher, Nath Chickering, Dan^{ll} Fisher, Joseph Wight, Tho Battell, Jona Battell, Dan^{ll} Pond, John Gay, Vid Gay, Nath: Bullard, Ephra Willson, Dan^{ll} Wight, Nath Richards, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Sam^{ll} Bacon, Dan^{ll} Draper, Vid Fuller, Robert Ware, Tho Aldridg, Eleaz Kingsbery, John Eaton, Micha Metcalf, Beni Mells, Vid Sarah Barber, Tho Fuller, Tho Pain, Sam^{ll} Ware, Jona^{s} Gay, Andr Dewing, Jon^{s} Dewing, Edw Coocke, John Smith, John Rice, John Pain, John Gill, Ephra Ware, Sam^{ll} Aldridg, John Fuller, Vid Dewing, Robert Auery, Benj Oinion, John Hunting, Will Dean, Asael Smith, John Aldis, Vid Richards, Josep Ellice iun^{o}, Dan^{ll} Aldis, Benj Colborn, Vigilenc Fisher, Joshua Fisher, Nath Kingsbury, Tho Ockington, John Baker, Nath Gay, Comfort Star, Ralph Day, Dan^{ll} Bacon, Vid Morse, Vid Bracket, Joseph Ellice Sen^{o}, Eleaz Fisher, Vid Auery, (193) Will Auery, Joseph Fairbank, Beni Fairbank, Jams Macknab, Sam^{ll} Bullard, Josep Damant, John Farington, Ralph Freeman iuno, Jona Fuller, Vid Hering, Nath Colborn iun^{o}, John Colborn, Eleaz Ellice, Vid Whiting, Jam^{s} Falles Sen^{o}, Tho Clape, Pet Fales, John Ellice, Ezra Morse, Mathias Ockington, Will Brown, Nill Mckiah, Ebenez Ware, Ralph Freman Sen, Peter Woodward, Tho Metcalf, Jams Thorp, Sam^{ll} Guild, John & Will Mackingtosh, Jams Mackerwethy iun^{o}, John Eueret, John Pige, Sam^{ll} Eueret, Jon^{s} Metcalf, John Dean, Sam^{ll} Gay, John Hawes, Josiah Fisher, Jon^{s} Fairbank, Timo Whiting, Pet Thorp, Nath Farington, Jam^{s} Mackerwethy Sen, John

Thorp, Noah Fisk, Isack Chenery seno, John Draper, Isack Chenery iun°, Sam^{ll} Mells, Vid Bacon, Joshua Clap.

2: 1: 1690-1 Asembled att Euening Ezra Morse Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller

Vewers of fence: Sarg^{t} Metcalf, Sarg^{t} Guill for ye East Street and fields therabout for ye middle plain Nath Kingsbery John Hunting for ye Smoth plain Tho Fisher Nath Chickering for ye fields towards Natick on ye South sid of ye Riuer Nath Richards John Gay Tho Aldridg and Tho Fuller for ye Iland and fields on ye North sid of Charles Riuer Men Chosen to burn ye Woods for ye Iland Andr Dewing for ye East stret John Dwight: for ye Woods towards pond plain and poweset Dan^{ll} Draper

Nath Colborn Seno is Chosen Sealer for ye year insueing

10: 1: 1690-1 Att a Generall meeting of ye Inhabitance and propriators Ralph Day making a question of his Call to be Constable ye Inhabitance by vot Declare that they do Acoas in and Confirme their Choice of said Ralph to be Constable for ye year insueing

(194) This Day the propriators Agree and Conclud forthwith to lay out a deuident of land in or of that tract of land beyond Wrentham more or less as may be agreed upon when ye said land is viewed

The propriators by vot declare that they doe desire those men Whom the select men shall appoynt to Rune the bound lines betwen this Towne and Wrentham and this Towne & Mendham to view the abouesaid tract of land intended for a Deuident and make Return ther of to the propriators att ther Next Meeting

Libertye is Granted to all propriators in this Deuident unto 2: 4. 6: 10: more or less as persons shall agree one with another to Drawe in one lot when the lots shall be drawne

1: 2: 1691 Asembled Ezra Morse Will Auery Dan^{ll} Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller Ensig Ellice Left Pond Nath Bullard are appoynted a comitie to lay out a cart way to ye house of Andrew Dewing and make Return to ye select-men

Jams Thorp is Chosen to carrie the soldiers debenters to ye Comitie appoynted by ye Court to grant bills and Receiue bills according to ye order of court baring date february ye 3: 90

Ezra Morse John Eueret Josiah Fisher are appoynted to joyne with Dorchester men to newe mark the line betwen Dorchester and Dedham

Ensig Ellice Sam^{ll} Gay and Tho Fuller are appoynted to preamble ye ye bounds betwen Wrentham Mendham and Dedham

Capt Timo Dwight Tho Aldridg Nath Richards are appoynted to Rune the Line betwen Dedham and Medfield

The last Reckononing with John Farington Constable

9: 2: 1691 Asembled Ezra Morse Will Auery Dan[ll] Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller with Cap[t] Sterns and Jams Thorp to just ye account with John Farrington Respecting his Constableship and haueing considered and debated ye matter for a final conclusion of the Cause depending betwen ye Towne and said John Farington Refering to his Constable office ye said John Farington haue giuen bond to ye nowe select men to pay foure pound one shilling and ten pence in corne and one pound Nineten shillings and eight pence in money and allso to pay his part of a bill granted to Richard Hincksman being seuen pounds Eleuen shillings & six pence with what he haue alredy paid thes things being performed ye said John Farington is discharged Respecting his former trust as a Constable Refering to Towne Rates

Nath Richards being not well able to performe ye seruice of Runing ye line betwen Dedham and Medfield Joseph Hawes is appoynted to that seruice in his steed

Nath Richards is chosen to joyne with ye Townes Comitye to Repaire ye schoole house

11: 3: 91 Asembled Ezra Morse Dan[ll] Fisher Will Auery Joseph Wight and John Fuller haueing notice from ye Honr[d] Court that ye Towne is presented for want of a Gramer Schoole and allso that ye Select men aper att Court ye twelfh of this Instant to answer ye presentm[t] we haue desired and impoured Ezra Mors to answer ye same att Court

6: 4 91 Asembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan[ll] Fisher Joseph Wight & John Fuller Cap[t] Sternes is apoynted in Stead of James Thorp he being not well to carrie ye soldiers debenters to ye Courts comitie for to Receiue bills for ye Solders as is directed in that cause

(195) Ther being complaint made to ye Selectmen that Dan[ll] Write spends his money and what he Earneth that should be for his maintanance imprudently ye Select men haueing concidered ye same doe appoynt and desire Tho Battell to haue ye ouersite of said Dan[ll] and that he make no bargain with any person or persons nor spend aney of his wages or money without ye aduice and consent of his gardian aboue named

15th: 4: 1691 Asembled Ezra Morse Will Auery Dan[ll] Fisher Joseph Wight and John Fuller Sarg[t] Sam[ll] Guill is Chosen and appoynted to joyne with those of ye comitie that Suruiue to take care of ye Schoole money and ye income therof

6th: 5: 1691 Assembled Ezra Mors Will Auery Dan[ll] Fisher Joseph Wight and John Fuller Sarg[t] Tho Metcalf is Desired and appoynted to agree with Si[r] Lord of Charlstown to keep ye Schoole in this Towne for one yeare

Serg[t] Tho Medcalf Desiring to be Excused from this seruice Will Auery

& Dan^{ll} Fisher are desired and appoynted to agree with Sr Lord to keep ye Schoole one year in this Towne

A Rate mad ye 18th of June by vertue of ye Genera^{ll} Courts order and warant from ye Tresurer (and nowe Entered) to ye value of foure hundred Seuentie one pound fiue ten shillings and ten pence wherof Each Inhabitants proportion is as foloweth [*Table follows, with following names, figures here omitted. See introduction*]

Capt Dwight, Capt Sterns, Lef^{t} Dan^{ll} Pond, Ens Richard Ellice, Tho Battel, Robert Ware, Peter Woodward, Dea John Aldis, Sarg^{t} Tho Metcalf, Joseph Colborn, Saml Colborn, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Hall, Nathn^{ll} Hawes, Joseph Hawes, John Battel, Nathn^{ll} Chickering, Dan^{ll} Fisher, Joseph Wight, Jonath Battel, John Fisher, Dan^{ll} Pond, John Gay, Vid Gay, Nath Bullard, Ephram Willson, Dan^{ll} Wight, Nath Richards, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Sam^{ll} Bacon, Dan^{ll} Draper, Widow Fuller, John Eueret, Thom̄ Aldridg, Eleaz Kingsbery, John Eaton, Micha Metcalf, Benj Mells, Vid Sarah Barber, Thom̄ Fuller, Thom̄ Pain, Sam^{ll} Ware, Jon^{a} Gay, Andr Dewing, Edward Coocke, Jon^{a} Dewing, John Smith, John Rice, John Pain, Ephra Ware, Sam^{ll} Aldridg, John Fuller, Vid Anne Dewing, Robert Auery, Beni Onion, John Hunting, Will Dean, Asahal Smith, John Aldis, Vid Richards, Joseph Ellice jun^{o}, Dan^{ll} Aldis, Widow Colborn, Beni Colborn, Vigale Fisher, Joshua Fisher, Nath Kingsbery, Thom Ockington, (196) Nath Gay, John Baker, Comfort Star, Ralph Day, Dan^{ll} Bacon, Vid^{w} Bacon, Joseph Ellice Sen^{o}, Eleaz Fisher, Vid^{w} Auery, Joseph Fairbanke, Benj^{a} Fairbanke, Jams Macknab, Sam^{ll} Bullard, Joseph Damant, John Farington, Ralph Freman jun^{o}, Jon^{a} Fuller, Vid^{w} Hering, Nathn^{ll} Colborn, John Colborn, Eleaz Ellice, Vid^{w} Whiting, Jams Fales Sen^{o}, Thom^{a} Clap, Peter Fales, Jams Thorp, Sam^{ll} Guild, John Mackingtosh, Jams Mackerwethey Sen^{o}, Ralph Freman Sen^{o}, Vidow Pig, Sam^{ll} Eueret, Jon^{a} Metcalf, John Dean, Sam^{ll} Gay, John Hawes, Jededi Eueret, Josiah Fisher, Jon^{a} Fairbank, Tim^{o} Whiting, Pet Thorp, Nath Farington, Jams Mackewithy iun, John Thorp, John Ellice, Ezra Morse, Mathi Ockington, Will Browne, Nell Mackiah, Ebenez Ware, Noah Fesk Sen^{o}, Isack Chenery, John Drper, Sam^{ll} Mells, Will Auery, Vid Morse, Vid Bracket, Thom^{a} Mansfield, Isack Chenery iun^{o} Joshua Clap

[*Agreed With Joseph Lord to keep ye Schoole one half year for which he is to haue for his pains fiveten pound as followeth fiue pounds in Currant money and ten pounds in Corn at price currant]

the Inhabitance being assembled ye 29 of July 1691 Sarg^{t} Samuell Guill is Chosen Comissioner to joyn with ye Select men to take bills of ye Rateable Estate as ye Law Directeth for ye year Insueing

Agreed With Joseph Lord to keep ye Schoole one halfe year the time

to begin is ye 4 day of August 1691 for which Seruice he is to haue foure pound in money and eight pound ten Shillings in Corne at price Currant

The Select men haueing Information that Jams Grants fameley are in a Suffering Condicion by Reason of grieuious Sickness: the Select men doe order and appoynt Ezra Mors and Wi^{ll} Auery to take care for the Relief of that fameley

At A Generall meting January ye 4th: 169½ ye Select mens Actions ye last year being Read and Excepted Ens^{l} Ellice Sam^{ll} Gay and Thom^{s} Fuller make Returne that ye Land neer Mendham and Wrentham is not worth ye laying out in a Deuident

Elections as followeth John Fuller is chosen Recorder and one of ye Select men

Ezra Morse Asahail Smith Willm Auery Nath Chickering are Chosen Selectmen

Timothy Whiting and Daniel Wit are Chosen Constables

Eleazer Kingsbery Sam^{ll} Guill Natan^{ll} Kingsbery and John Fisher and Joshua Clap are Chosen Serueyers for ye year insuing

the Towne by vote declare that ye tooe Cart bridges ouer Charles Riuer onto ye Iland Side shall be Repaired by high way worke if it may be

(197) 28: 1: 9½ Asembled Ezra Mors Asahail Smith Nathanll Chickring and John Fuller Benja Colborn is Chosen to Seal weights and measures for ye year Insueing

Sanll Colborn Andrew Dewing Jon^{s} Battley & Jedediah Eueret are Chosen to burn ye Woods this year

Vewers of fence for ye East school Thom Metcalf & Jon^{s} Fairbanke for ye middle plain and South plain Nathn^{ll} Kingsbery and Benia Colborn for ye Smoth plain Thom Fisher and John Gay and allso for ye fields on ye South Sid of Charls Riuer towards Natick for ye Iland Eleazer Kingsbery & Michael Metcalf for ye lots and fields on ye North Sid of Charls Riuer John Smith & John Rice

ye 23: 3: 1692 At A Generall Meeting of ye Inhabitants and propriator Wheras ye Chh and Towne haue giuen a Call to y^{t} Mr Joseph Belsher to come and liue and laboure amongst vs in ye worke of ye minisrie in order to full Settlement in this Towne: and it being now vnder Consideration what may be proposed to him for incoragm^{t} for his labor as to a yearly Solery the Question being put whether ye Towne will giue Sixtie pounds in money Anualy by ye year: to ye Reu^{r} Mr Joseph Belsher to be his yearly Solery this is Answered in ye afirmatiue prouided he answers our Call and come and liue and laboure amongst vs in ye worke of ye ministry and take office in ye Church With what our Roxbery Neibors may give to our ministery the Question being put to ye towne by what Rule they will haue ye Solery aboue

mentioned proportioned It is by ye vote of ye Towne declared it shall be proportioned by ye Same Rule ye Cuntrie Rate vsualy haue been made and heds to be counted at one Shilling in a Singale Rate and old mens heads to be so Rated allso: and allso bills of ye Rateable Estate of ye Towne forth with to be taken to prºportion ye Solery abouesa^{d} by: and So from year to year in sum̃e conueniant: time to take bills of ye Rateable Estate of ye Towne for ye End aboue said

the Towne allso haue Chosen a com̃itie to take bills and proportion ye Selery aboue mentioned for this yeare: or ye first Solery the Com̃itie Chosen to this work is Sarg^{t} Tho Metcalf Sarg^{t} Sam^{ll} Guill Sarg^{t} Wi^{ll} Auery Eleaz Kingsbery Dan^{ll} Fisher with ye Deacon

Wheras att ye generall Towne meeting January 1690 ye Towne chose Sarg^{t} Tho Metcalf Sam^{ll} Guill and Nathn^{ll} Gay A Com̃itie to Reckon with ye Deacon Refering to ye Ministers Soleryes and to gather ye Remains of all Soleryes past ye Towne by vote declare they doe Nomenat appoynt and impoure ye Same Com̃itie to perfect that worke and allso to Recon with ye Deacon for: and. gather vp ye Remain of ye Solery made in ye year 91: and they to make ther Return to ye Towne at January meeting that may be 1692

(198). 31: 6: Assembled Asahail Smith Wi^{ll} Auery Nathon^{ll} Chickering and John Fuller with Sarg^{t} Sam^{ll} Guild Comssoner to take a List of all male persons and a valuation of Estate according to ye Courts act and warrant from ye Tresurer to be sent down to ye Sheir meeting and it is as followeth to each of ye Inhabitane ther proportion [*Table follows, containing following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Capt Tim^{o} Dwight, Capt Nath Sterns, Lef^{t} Dan^{ll} Pond, Ensig Rich Ellice, Dacon John Aldis, Peter Woodward, Jno Hunting, Vid Fuller, Benj^{a} Col; born, Nath Richards, John Gay, John Aldis, Vid Whiting, John Farington, Joseph Fairbank, Thom̃ Pain, John Smith, Robert Ware, Jon^{a} Fuller, Andr Dewing, Joseph Wight, Vid Bacon, Sam^{ll} Gay, John Fisher, Asahail Smith, John Rice, John Bacon, Henery tailer, Benj Fairbank, Jams Macknab, Sam^{ll} Bullard, Sam^{ll} Ware, Thom^{a} Aldridg, John Eaton, Michael Metcalf, Ralph Frèman iun^{o}, John Mackerwethy, John Pain, Baraki Lewes, John Hawes, Thom^{a} Clap, Pet Fales, Ebenez Lettlefield, Mathia Ockington, Thom^{a} Battely, Dan^{ll} Fisher, Robert^{t} Auery, Wi^{ll} Dean, Amos Fisher, Dan^{ll} Wight, Ralph Day, Thom^{a} Herring, Thom^{a} Metcalf, Sam^{ll} Guild, Sam^{ll} Mells, Ephra Willson, Tho Hall, Jon^{a} Fairbank, Nath Chickering, Eleaz Kingsbery, Jams Fals Sen^{o}, Will Auery, Peter Thorpe, Nath Bullard, Vid Richards, John Euered, Tho Fisher, Nath Colborn, John Dean, Eleaz Fisher, Isack Chenery Sen^{o}, Isack Chenery jun^{o}, Ephra Ware, John Woodcock, Thom^{a} Fuller, Sam^{ll} Aldridg, Sam^{ll} Eueret, Ralph Freman sen^{o}, Jams Macwethy Sen^{o}, Jam^{s} Macwethy jun^{o}, Will Mackingtosh, Nathn^{ll} Farrington, Vid

Thorpe, John Gay iun°, Vid Morse, John Colborn, Sam^{ll} Whiting, Timo Whiting, Joseph Damant, Eleaz Ellice, Josiah Fisher, Wi^{ll} Robens, Joshua Clap, Joseph Ellice jun°, Dan^{ll} Aldis, Vigilenc Fisher, Joshua Fisher, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellice sen°, Thom^{s} Ockington, John Baker, Nath Gay, Comfort Star, Noah Fiske, Benj Oynion, Nath Hawes, (199) Joseph Hawes, John Battely, Jon^{s} Battely, Vid Pond, Sam^{ll} Bacon, Dan^{ll} Bacon, Sam^{ll} Colborn, Joseph Colborn, Dan^{ll} Draper, John Draper, John Fuller, Benj Mells, John Gill, Ebenez Ware, Jon^{s} Gay, Jon^{s} Dewing, Edw Coocke, Jon^{s} Metcalf, John Ellice, John Mason

27: 7: 92 Asembled Asahail Smith Will Auery Nat^{h} Chickering and John Fuller by vertue of ye Courts act: to Examin all ye Lists of Cuntrey Rates and Towne Rates Granted Since 89 and to make a list of all ye Arears thereof and ye arears of ye Cuntrey Rates are comited to Sarg^{t} Tho Metcalf and Sarg^{t} Sam^{ll} Guild Who are appoynted Colectors by order of ye genn^{ll} Court

Nathan^{ll} Kingsbery and Benja Colborn by vertue of ye genrall Courts Act are apoynted Colectors to gather ye arrears of ye Towne Rate granted in ye year 89^{90} and ye List thereof is Comited in to ther hands

Joseph Ellice Sen° is agreed with to Ring ye Bell and swep ye meeting house for one year the yeare begin ye first of November 92 for which Seruice ho is to haue toe pound ten Shillings in comon pay

At a generall Meeting of ye Inhabitance ye 23th December 1692 to consider what to doe in order to ye Settlem^{t} of Mr Joseph Belsher in this Towne: after Serious consideration and debat of ye matter the Towne agree and by their vote declare that they will giue Sixte pounds in money to ye Reu^{r} Mr Joseph Belsher for his incoragmt to settle amongst vs to be paid to him within ye Space of one full year after he Shall take ofice in ye Church here: farther ye Select men are nomenated and appoynted to acquaint Mr Belsher with what ye Towne haue concluded to doe for him and allso ther desire to live: under his ministry and that he wold Except of ye call giuen to him and not delay his coming to liue in this Towne

Wheras ye Grate and generall Court haue pased an Act that all Towne officers Shall be Chosen Sum̃e time in ye month of march from year to year ye Towne by vot declare ther mind is and they doe appoynt ye first Second day of ye weeke in ye month aboue Said Anualy: to be ye generall meeting of ye Inhabitance for ye End aboue mentioned

Allso ye Towne by vot declare ther mind is that ye Select men in being Shall hold ther place and continue as Select men vntill ye Said first Second day of ye weeke in march next Insueing

6: 12: 93 Asembled Asahail Smith Nathn^{ll} Chickering Will Auery &

John Fuller to consider what is needful to be don to prepare ye List for ye cuntry Rate

agreed y^{t} ye Cuñs^{tb} haue a warrant: to warn ye Inhabitance to meet on Munday next to giue in the bill of ther persons and Rateable Estate according to Lawe

(200) This Euening Seuerall persons moue to ye Select men for a comitye to Lay out and State a way from noanets Brooke So called throwe Thomas Battelyes old field the Lots er Seuerall propriatyes that are in that field ther being Land Reserued by ye Towne for a waye next to Charles Riuer thorough that field and so to State a way beyond the Said field to ye lands yt are in propriatye in ye Elbowe of ye Riuer Capt Timothy Dwight Ensigne Richard Ellice and Nathan^{ll} Chickering are appoynted a comittye to Lay out Said way as may be most conueniant for ye Towne and perticuler persons Conceirned

A bill is giuen to Wi^{ll} Auer to Receiue of Lef^{t} Dan^{ll} Pond Sarg^{t} Thoma Metcalf and Sarg^{t} Sam^{ll} Guild ye Comtye for ye Schoole money: thre pound thirteen Shillinge and Sixpence out of ye Income of ye Schoole money for his Entertaining of Sir Lord Schoole master: which is ye whole of all pay due to Sir Lord for his keeping of Schoole

A bill is giuen to Wi^{ll} Auery to Receiue of Nathn^{ll} Kingsbery and Benj Colborn Colectors Eleuen Shillings in money out of ye Towne Rate nowe in ther hands for money Said William paid to ye gleasur for mending ye meeting house glasse

Eleaz Kingsbery Josiah Fisher and Thomas Fuller are appoynted A Comittye to lay out a High way on ye North Side of Charls Riuer to ye house of John Smith

At a generall meeting the sixth day of march 1693:

Election of Towne oficers: is as followeth Timothy Dwight was chosen Towne Clarke and to be one of the select men Serg^{t} Will Auery Serg^{t} Samuell Guild Dan Fisher Eleazer Kingsbery The Comisioner for ye year insuing is Nathaniell Bulard Constobles: for the yeare insuing Constobles John Bacon Jonathan Gay Seryers: for the year insuing: Serg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe and Tho Aldridg: Thomas Fisher Joseph Colburn: vewers of fence Serg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe Jonath Fuller Thomas Fisher John Gay Micall Metcalfe Tomos Fullar Nath Kingsbery: Thomas Ocinton Tithing men for the year insuing Serg^{t} Thomos Metcalfe Nathaniell Bulard: Micall Metcalf Nathaniell Kingsbury

This day it was proposed to the Towne whither thay would grant a Towne rate the Towne by voat declare thier minde that thay will grant a Towne rate to the sume of one rate and a halfe Heads at a shilling in one rate to be proportioned by the same billes and the same rules that the min-

ster rate is proportined by This rate is granted to defraying the Townes debtes:

24 march 1693 At a meting of the select men Serg^{t} Auery Serg^{t} Guild Danil Fisher Eleazer Kingsbury and Timothy Dwight Choase to yoake and ringe the swine in the Towne acording to the law in the Country and the Towne orders in Deadham John Aldus Joseph Elice Seno Nath Hawes: John Rice Men Appoynted to Burne the wood as foloweth Samuel Eauerid John Battell Edwerd Coocke Ben Colburn is chosen for A sealer of waights and mesurs for this yere insuing for this Towne

17 Aprill 1693 The select men Asembled Serg^{t} Auery Serg^{t} Guily Dan Fisher Eleazer Kingsbury and Timo Dwight to proportion the minesters salery and to make the Town rate:

24 Desemb 1694 Asembled Sar^{t}. Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nath Bullard and William Auery to Reckon with the constables

Nathaniell Kingsbery is chosen colector to gather the arrears of all rates comited into the hand of his father late constable

(201) Desember 24 1694

The Town Rate made 17 of aprell 1693 &	
Deliuered into the hands of Nathaniell	
Kingsbery & Jonathan Gay constable to gather	lb s d
the Totall Sum thereof amounts To	28—07—11
Bills payed & Returned by Nathaniell	
Kingsbery Colecter	lb s d
To Samuell Colbarn	01—05—00
To Joseph Ellis Sen	02—10—00
To Joseph Ellis Seni	00—04—00
To Joshua Fishar	01—10—00
To Benj Onyon	02—09—03
To Jonathan Faiarbanks for keeping Jams Grants child	1—05—00
	money being
in the Rate	1—17—06
Bills granted to Seuarall parsons payed &	
returned by the Constable Jonahan Gay	lb s d
To Joseph Colbarn	01—15—00
To Lut Daniell Pond	02—05—00
To Tho Battell	03—06—08
To John Baker	00—16—00
To John Draper	04—00—00
To Elieazer Kingsbery	02—00—00
To Mr John Woodward by Jonath Gay fiue	

pounds fifteen & a peny out of the Schoole	
Rate as apper by Receit under the hand	
of Mr Woodward	05—15—01
Desember 24 1694 bills Granted	
To Comfort Starr the pen	00—07—06
To Joseph Ellis Señ	00—01—06
To Mr Timothy Dwight three pounds as Representatiue	03—00—00
bill payed & Reckoned of with the Constables	
To Comfort Starr by John Smith	00—07—06
to Joseph Ellis by Benj Onion	00—01—06
To Mr Dwight by Benj Onion	03—00—00
february 25 169⅘ a bill Granted to	
Daniell Fisher for bord & mony for the Repairing the meeting house	lb s d 00—05—00
To Nathiell Bullard for money disbursed for the Towns vse	00—02—00
To Benjamin Onion for ringing the bell & weeping the meeting house	05—00—09
To Daniell Fishar by John Smith	00—05—00
To Nath Bullard by John Smith const	00—02—00
To Benjamin Onion out of the Town Rate	05—00—09

(202) 17 Aprill 1693: Thomas Aldridg John Smith: Jonathan Duin are appoynted to meet with Watertowne men to run the line betwixt Watertowne and Deadham according to law:

Vpon Complaynt that fences ware so set downe as the Highwayes belonging to the Towne ware Anoyed and wronged The men Chosen to inspect How the fences ware set and obought to be set ware John Hunting John Fullar and Nathaniel Kingsbur the fences thay ware to be vew was vpon the grat Cuntry rooad and through the South playne:

Nathaniell Richards Came to the select men and informed that he Had bought a Highway two roods wide: of Tabatha Pond and desired to lay it downe for the vse of the Towne prouided he might haue the Highway granted to Him that lyeth betwixt his owne Howse lot and the Howse lot of John Gay This Highway is granted to Nathaniel Richard so longe as this Highway bought of Tobath Pond do ly Comon to the vse of the Towne And the select men Haue appoynted Thomas Battely Danill Fisher Joseph Wight are appoynted to lay out this Highway:

15 may 1693 at a generall meeting to Choose representatiues and

other Town buisnes it was proposed and Considred by thos meet togethr whither to giue thier representitues: by the rulle formerly we went by or to giue him two shilngs per day: and it was agreed to giue for Consderatio as formerly we had doone: three pounds per yere: and beare the Charges of thier dyat

Ther being seuerall of the inhabitants of the Towne that haue not payd in to the Deacon thier seuerall proportions due to the maintinc of the minestry: amongst vs: whereby the Towne remaine in debt vpon that aconte thierfore the Towne Haue Chosen En Elic Dan Fisher Jonath Metcalfe Eleozer Kingsbury and John Deane Colectors: to gather vp what remayn due from any and Euery person that Haue not Clered his Accout with the deacon of the minstes solery all the time formerly to this presente yere and thes Colectors Haue full power to demand: recon and recaiue or agree with: euery person as thay se Cause and thier accat and agremt with thees persons: in the Case afore sayd shall be a finall Isue in the sayd Cause: the Comity are to make as much Hast as thay can And make thier returne to select men

10 August 1693 A bill is giuen to John Backer to recaiue of the Constobles sixten shiligs for grouseling the schoole Howse:

Agreed with Joshua Fisher to repair the pounde for this present yeare and to keepe it:

Serg^{t} Samuel Guild and Eleazer Kingsbury ware by the select men Chosen to Hire and procure a schoolemaster

Due to Samuel Colburn for killing wolues three pounds fiue shilings by his owne order forty shillings he haue Alowed to pay to the Colecters to satisfy his Arers to the minestrs salery and twenty fiue shilings is payd him by a bill

5 June 1693 At a generall meeting of the Towne to Consider of some things refering to the setelment of Mr Belcher whear as the Towne agreed and past an act at a generall meeting of the Towne 23 december 1692 to giue to the sayd Mr Belcher sixty pound in mony with in one yeare after his ordination neuertheless vpon further Considration: it apper neesesary: that the sayd sixty pounds be paid forthwith: the Towne thierfore by voat declare thier mind is that the sixty pound be forthwith proportined by the select men: that so Euery one of the inhabitants may know thier proportion: that Euery one may bringe in his seuerall some: forthwith: to the Comity that shall be Chosen as resaiuers or Colecters: and thay to pay the mony to Mr Belcher and take his resaite this is voated in the afermitiue: The Towne by voate: declare thier minds is that the sixty pound aboue sayd shall be proportined by the same rules: that the minsters salery is proportined by the

Towne by thier voate haae Choosen Serg[t] Tho Metcalf Robrt Auery John Fuller and Josep Wight Colecters for the End aboue mentioned

(203) 26 August the select men Haue agreed with John Woodward to keepe the Schoole in this Towne and to begine this work of keeping schoole forth day of Ceptember and to Contenew one quarter of the yeare and to recaiue mony two pounds and in Corn fower pound fiue shlgs

26 August Cap[t] John Euerid was desired and requested by the select-men to warne John Hawes to remoue his fence and leave out the Towens watring place to the Common which is by him taken in neere his Howse

26 August 1693 Agreed with John Baker of Deadham: to build one new Schoole Howse for the vse of the Towne of Deadham: the length and breadth of the ould school Howse: and to put in none of the old timber in to the Howse but such as shall be aproued of by the select men: and that the say John Baker shall fiude all the Timber Bords: Clabords shingls nayles and to borde the Inside of the Howse or to fill the walls and to make it warme and desent according to a schoole Howse and to make the windowse as extensiue as the old schoole Howse was and finde the glase also suficent Dores and to build one soficent Stone Chimny the tope of it being wrought out of the Howse with good brickes and to Couer Euery groundsell with Borde or Clabord and to beare euery mortise Hoale in the growsell through: and to finde Euery thinge that do belonge to outside and the Inside what so euer to the finding of the key and all this worke to be done by the lost of october insuing the date:

memorandum that the Aboue sayd John Bacer is to recaiue of the Town for Considration sixteen pounds ten shilings twenty shillings in mony so sone as the worke is done and the other fifteen pound tenn shillings in Corne rie at 4 shilings bushll Indin Corn at three shillings per bushll and so much as shall be payd of this fifteen pounds tenn shillngs in mony he the sayd John Baker shall abat on forth part when he recaiue it and this fifteen pouds in tenn shilings in rie and Indin Corne to be payd at or before the first of Aprill 94 and that the ould schooll Howse is to remay to be the sayd John Bakers:

At a generall meeting of the Towne 13 desember 1693

The Free Houlder and others of the Towne qualified as the law require it beinge proposed how thay would rayse a salery for the maintinace of a schoole: Whithether thay will rayse the one Halfe vpon the Estates and the other halfe vpon the Heads of mall children that liue within three miles or thier abouts and this was voated in the afirmitiue: Thes malle Children are two be rated from seauen vntill thay be twelue years ould: It was further proposed at this meeting whither this halfe part of the salery to be raysed for

the schoole should be raysed vpon heads or Estates yt was agreed that Estates only should beare one halfe of this charge

It beinge proposed by what rule this part of the salery should be raysed The Towne by voat declare it shall be raysed by the rules in the law vnder the former generment in the year 1685

It beinge proposed to the Towne whither thay: will choose a comity to draw such orders out of the Towne booke as: be nesesary for the vse of the Towne: to be considred of at the next generall meeting in order to presenting of them to the quarter sesions: this was voated in the afirmitiue the Com̄ Chosen is Capt Nat Starnes Nath Bulard Serg^{t} Samuel Guild

(204) Deadham 8 January 169¾ Asembled to make the schoole rate as the Town dirict Ser Will Auery Ser Sam Guild Dan Fisher Eleazer Kingsbury Timo Dwight

A rate made for the maintinance of the Schoole where in Each inhabitant is Asesed at one half peny vpon the pound and Eauery male aboue seauen years old and vnder twelue: at thre shilings per head where of one quarter is to be in mony and the three quarter to be Corne at prize according to Towne order [*Table follows, with following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Timothy Dwight, Capt Nath Starns, Liut Richard Elic, Liut Danil Pond, Dec John Aldus, Peter Woodward, Capt John Euerid, Serg^{t} Tho Metcalf, Jonath Metcalfe, Serg^{t} Samu Guild, Jonath Fullar, John Farington, Sam Euerid, Ralph Freeman Seno, Jams Macarwithe, Josia Fisher, Will Macintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorpe, Vido Thorpe, John Baker, John Dean, Barica Luies, John Hawes, Tho Battely, Tho Hall, Tho Fisher, Nath Hawes, Josep Hawes, John Battely, Dani Fisher, Josep Wight, Jonath Battely, John Fisher, John Gay Seno, Ephra Wilson, Dani Wight, Nath Richards, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Ralp Day, Dani Bacon, Nath Gay, Comfor Star, Tho Ocinton, Samu Bacon, Ebenez Litllfield, Josep Colburn, Sam Colburn, Dan Draper, Nath Bulard, Eleaz Fisher, John Elice, Samu Ware, Dani Aldus, Josep Elice Juner, Vido Richards, Asel Smith, Ben Colburn, Josep Damond, Samu Bulard, Jams Macanab, Josep Fairbank, Benia Fairbanke, John Colburn, Ezra Morse, Jonath Whiting, Tho Hering, Janath Fairbanke, Timoth Whiting, Samuel Whiting, Nath Colburn, Srg^{t} Will Auery, John Aldus, Eleaz Elice, John Woodcock, Thom Payne, Thom Fullar, Vido Fullar, Jonath Gay, Robr^{t} Ware, Will Dean, John Payne, Edw Coocke, Tho Aldridg, John Fullar, John Eatin, Nath Kingsbury, Joshua Fisher, Vigla Fisher, Sam Gay, John Hunting, Ben Onion, (205) Josep Elice Seno, John Gay Juner, Elea Kingsbury, John Smith, Ephr Ware, Ebene Ware, Benj Milles, And Duin, Jona Duin, Math Ocintin, John Guill, Nath Chickring, Isack Chinery, James Vales, John Draper, John Mason, Tho Clap, Joshua and Eleazer Clap, Will

Robins, Josep Hartshorn, Peter Vales, Robr[t] Auery, Isack Chinery, Vid Bacon, Vid Metcalfe

December 26 87 Whearas Nathaniel Colburn senior appered before the select men declaring that the farme he bought of M[r] Daniel Alin Extend not to the quantity granted by this Towne to sayd farme: theirefore moue to haue a Comity Chosen to lay out so much: land as is wanting in the sayd farme in such Comon land ot the Townes as is not yet layd out whear he shall Choose it by his farme by the Easterdly part thier of

The Comity mutualy Choosen to determin this Case: is the fiue men heer after named thay or the majour part of them to make a full determination and Isue of the same and make thier returne: Timothy Dwight, Liu Richard Elice Thomos Aldridg Danill Fisher Eleaz Kingsbury:

We whos names are vnder writen being a comity deputed to Isue and determin the Case aboue Expresed: in obedinc haue mesured sayd farme and finde it wantinge: of what the grant Expresse thierfore haue layd out: to Nathanill Colburn: on the south East side: of his Farme twenty four Acres of land which make vp his quantity being the whole of his Farme: to his full satisfaction acording to his grant Liu Richard Elic Timothy Dwight Elyazr Kingsbury Thomas Aldridg

Deadham 12 Febuary 169¾ Asembled Serg[t] Will Auery Ser. Guild Dan Fisher Eleazer Kingsbury Timothy Dwight

Joshua Fisher is by the select men Alowed to keep a Howse of publiq Entertainment

Thomas Aldridg and Eleazer Kingsbury is Choosen to lay out a Highway ouer rosemery meaddow brooke in a Conueniant place below Ebineazer Wares Howse and to make a returne of thier doings:

A bill is giuen to Eleazer Kingsbury to recaiue of the Constobles two pouds

March 5th 169¾ Benjamin Colbarn is chosen to trie and Seall waits and mesurs for the year ensuing

(206) Deadham 5 March 169¾At a generall meeting of the inhabitants and the freeholders qualified as the law dirict with the propriators of the Towne: It being proposed to the Town whither thay will Choose a Comity to proporrion our pasters salery: the Towne by voat declare it shall be doone by the select men to be Choosen for the yeare insuinge and to be doone by the same rule it was the last yeare:

Thear appering a man from Sudbury John Locur by name desiring to Hire the Towne meaddows: lying neer vnto Sudbury the Town by voat haue Choosen Jonathan Gay to leat out thos meaddows for a Terme of seauen years:

The Comity Choosen to gather the Arreers of the minsters salery in

seuerall years past making thier returne the Towne do Further Deput them by thier voat and impower them to Cary one and finish that worke and Ajust thier account with the Deacon and pay to minsters what is thier due and then to make thier return to The Towne

The Towne by voat doth declare that our pastors salery shall begine as formerly at the 15th of desember from yeere to yeere

The Towne by voat haue Confirmed the Towne order made the 15th 11 mo 1682 gor gathring the minesters salery and that thier mind is declared by vote that for time to Come it shall be prosecuted to Efect

The Towne by voat haue granted a rate for defraying Towne Charges at one peny vpon the poud in mony and one halfpeny in Comon Corne pay and to be raised by the same Rule that the minsters salery is made by

Joseph Harts Horne and William Roobins doe both moue to the propriator to grant to them timber of thier Comon land to fence & build vpon thier land which thay bought in the Towne neer vnto the Saw mill the propriators granted thier petitiou to them

The Towne declare by voat that thay will Choose fower surueyers for the yeare insuinge

The Towne by voat declare that thay will Choose for the yeare insuinge six fence vewers and fower Hawards or Field driuers:

The propriators by thier voat declare thier minde is to make orders to preserve thier propriety and to the same end and purpose John Fullar Asel Smith Eleazer Kingsbury are a Comity Choosen to draw vp thos orders and present them to the propriators at ther next meetinge

The select men and Towne oficers are as foloweth Sergt Will Auery is chosen Towne Clerck and to be one of the selectmen: for the yere insunge Danil Fisher Joseph Wight Ser Guild and Nath Bulard also are chosen Select—: and John Fullar is Chosen a Comisioner for the year insuinge

John Smith Ben Onion Constobles: serueyers Sergt Thom Metcalfe Nath Kingsbury Thomas Aldridge Daniel Wight

Capt John Euerid John Dean John Fisher John Bacon Eleazer Kingsbury John Rice fence vewers

Sergt Thomas Metcalf Thom Battely Thomas Aldridg Natha Kingsbury Tithing men

John Dean John Fisher Thom Fullar Dani Wight Hawards or Field driuers

21 march 169$\frac{4}{3}$ Asembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nathaniell Bullard and William Avery

A bill is giuen to Jonathan Faiarbank to receiue of the constable or constables out of the Town rate now in their hands as mony twenty fiue shilings for the Keeping James Grants childe

(207) Vpon Information that Ann Parker being Ill wants releefe Nathaniell Bullard and Joseph Wight are desiared and deputed to Inquiar into that case & to prouide har nesessery releefe

Thomas Aldridg & Elieazar Kingsbery make return of their laying out a high way ouer Rosmery medow brooke: to the which thay ware deputed: about two Rods wide by markin of trees begining at the west side of the abouesaid brooke from Ebenezar Wares his House aboue the said medow in the old Cowe path then turning towards the North as it is marked out & coming to & lying upon the old drawn way leading down to the aboue Saide Rosmary Medow & then turning towards the East to the way that leads to the falls medows

Aprell 13 Capt John Euerid Jonathan Metcalfe & Timothy Whiting are choosen to joyne with Dorchester men to run the line between the Townes of Dorchester and Dedham

Aprell 23 1694 Assembled Sarg^{t} Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nathaniell Bullard & William Avery To proportion our R^{d} Pasters Sallery for this present year and to proportion the Town Rate

May 7 Att a Generall meeting of the Inhabitance to choose a Representatiue the Town also Chose Sarg^{t} Samuell Guild for their Town Tresurer

The Town by vote declare their mind is that the Representatiue now to be Chosen shall Receiue in Satisfaction for his Seruice in that behalfe by the Same rulls agreed upon by the Town the last year

May 14 Asembled Sarg^{t} Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nath Bulard and William Avery upon training day

Vpon this day Leut Richard Elice John Fullar & Jonathan Gay are Chosen and deputed in the behalph of our Town to run the line between Dedham and Neatick

May 19 1694 Assembled Sarg^{t} Samuell Guild Danill Fishar Joseph Wight Nath Bullard & William Avery Select men

This day a bill is giuen to Joshua Fishar to Receiue of the Constables out of the Town Rate one pound ten shilings. of Nath Kingsbery & Jonath Gay for the Entertainment of the town at his house vpon four meetings of the Town in the years 1691 & 1692

This day also Joshua Fisher is chosen pound Keeper for the present year

May 21: 1694 In parsuance of an act & law made by the Gouerner Counsell and Representatiues in Generall court asembled for the settelment & Support of Schoole masters. the Inhabitance and freeholders of this Town of Dedham qualefied to act in Town afairs as the law directs being duly warned for that purpos met together upon the twenty first of this instant may

It being then proposed to the Town whither the one half part of the Salery for the maintinance of the Schoole Shall be leuied upon the parents

or masters of Such male children as liue within three miles of the meeting house or there abouts of the agg of Seuen years & under twelue years old for this present assessment This was voted in the afermatiue It being further proposed to the Town whither the other half part of the aboue mentioned Salery shall be leuied upon esteats only and no part of it upon heads this also was voted in the afirmatiue

June 15 Where as the men chosen to run the line between Dedham & Netick could not finish that work by reson the Indians Refused to Joyne with them in it Nath Bullard & John Fullar are chosen to Indeuour the accomplishing thereof according as it was Stated by the Generall Court also there is aded to this commity John Deane and Jonathan Gay

(208) The Town rate made Aprell 23: 1694 according to the agreemen^t of the Town att their Genarall meeting march the fifth 1: ¾ of one peny vpon the pound in mony and one half peny vpon the lb in corn pay wherein each persons proportion is as foloweth [*Table follows containing the following names, figures here omitted* (*See introduction.*)

Capt Timothy Dwight, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Decon John Aldis, Peter Woodward, Capt John Euerid, Leut Richard Elice, Sarg^t Thomas Metcalfe, Sarg^t Samuell Guild, Jonath Metcalfe, Jonathan Fullar, John Farington, Samuell Euerid, Ralph Freeman Señ, Jams Makerwithe Señ, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, John Deane, John Haws, Henry Semreck, Jams Makerwithe juñ, Josiah Fishar, Barakiah Lewes, Samuell Gay, John Gay Juñ, John Elice, Elieazer Fisher, Joseph Damon, Samuell Bulard, Jams Maknab, Joseph Faiarbank, Benjamin Faiarbank, John Colbarn, Leut Daniell Pond, Thomas Battele, Nathaniell Richards, Robert Ware, Thomas Hall, Jonath Fairbank, Timothy Whiting, Nathaniell Colbarn, Samuell Whiting, William Avery, John Aldis, Benjamin Colbarn, Vigilence Fishar, Joshua Fishar, Ezra Mors, Thomas Hering, Vid Thorp, Asahell Smith, Daniell Aldis, Joseph Elice Juñ, Vid Richards, Elieazer Elice, John Richards, Nath Kingsbery, James Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshua & Elieazer Clap, Joseph Elice Señ, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Falls, John Makerwithe, Thomas Fishar, Nathaniell Haws, Joseph Haws, John Battele, Daniell Fishar, Joseph Wight, Jonath Battele, John Fishar, John Gay, (209) Nathaniell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, John Bacon, Daniell Bacon, Isaac Chinory Señ, Nath Gay, Amos Fishar, Ralph Day, Vid Bacon, Comfort Starr, John Baker, Tho Ockinton, Robert Auery, Benjamin Onion, John Hunting, William Deane, Joseph Colbarn, Daniell Draper, Vid Colbarn, Samuell Bacon, Ebenezer Littelfield, Samuell Ware, Ephram Ware, Ebenezer Ware, John Gill, Vid Fullar, Tho Aldridg, John Fullar, Vid Metcalf, John Woodcok, John Eaton, Tho Fullar, Nathaniell Chickring, Tho Paine, Samuell Mills, Benjamin Mills, Joseph Markes, An-

draw Deuin, Jonathan Deuin, Jonathan Gay, John Smith, John Rice, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, Samuell Adams, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Edward Cooke, John Draper, John Mason, Elieazer Kingsbery the total sum in the hand of John Smith Constable is 16lb 5s 7d

Dedham July 18 1694 In obseruance of a warrant Receiued from the country Treasurer & Receiuer Generall for their Majesties Prouince of the Massachusetts Bay in persuence of an act of the Great & Generall Court or asembly for said Prouince granting to their Majesties a tax of twelue pence a poll & one penny on the pound & State Said warrant Requiring the Select-men to case the Inhabitance of this Town qualefed to vote in Town affairs to assemble & chose men to be assessers for Said tax. accordingly the free-holders & otheres by law qualified being duly warned for that purpos met together upon the 18th of July and then chose Leut Daniell Pond Leut Richard Ellice Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Baker & Nath Kingsbery assess-ors for this town of Dedham according to to the act of the Generall Court & warrant from the Treasurer

September 24 1694 Asembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nathaniell Bullard & William Avery—Select men

This day a Bill is giuen to Leut Richard Elice to Receiue of John Smith or Benjamin onyon Constables fiue pounds in part of that which is due to him for his Saruice as Representatiue

Also a bill is giuen to Sargt Thomas Metcalfe to Receiue of John Smith or Benjamin Onyon fiue pounds for his Saruice as Representatie both of which bills are granted in mony.

(210) Desember 31 1694 Att a Generall meeting of the freeholders & other Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham qualefied according to law to act in Town afairs being duly warned for that purpose It was proposed as foloweth

It being then proposed to the Town whither thay would chose a commity to proportion our Reuerend Pastors Salery for the year ensuing

the Town by their Vote decleare there minde is to leue it to the Select men to proportion it by the rules as formerly upon parsons & estates and that bills of estate shall be taken Sum time in January for that purpose

It being also proposed to the Town whither thay will prouide wood for the Reud Mr Belchers fiar during the time of his life and labors with us in the work of the ministry This was voted in the afirmatiue

It was further in particuler proposed to the Town whither thay will pro-uide ten poundes worth of wood att fiue shilings by the corde yearly euery year for the Suply of our Pastor the Reud Mr Joseph Belcher and deliuer it att his dwelling house and whether this shall be proportioned upon euery Perticuler Inhabitant as the yearly Salery is by the Same Rules prouided

there be liberty for Such as desiar the same to cut their proportion of the aboue mentioned wood of the Churches wood lands the time for begining of the year to be att the fifteenth of Desember This also was voted in the afirmatiue

It was also proposed to the town whither thay will raise maintinance for the Schoole only upon parsons & estates of the Inhabitance this was voted in the afirmatiue

It was further proposed to the Town whither thay will alow as formerly after the proportion of twenty fiue pounds by the year whereof eight of it to be in mony to a Schoole master this was voted in the afirmatiue

It was also proposed to the Town whither the bills taken in January where upon to proportion our R[d] Pasters Salery shall also be for the proportioning of the Schoole Rate upon, this also was voted in the afirmatiue

Vpon the request of Henry White the Town haue granted him liberty to erect & Set up a Small house neer the meeting house for his conuenience upon the Sabath And haue left itt to the Select men to appoynt the place to Set up the Said house in

february 4 169⅘ Asembled Sarg[t] Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Joseph Wight Nathaniell Bullard & William Avery

To proportion our R[d] Paster his Salery for the year insuing

this day John Battele makes a motion to haue a way layd out to his field by Natick brook

Vpon consideration whereof we haue chosen & deputed Thomas Battele Capt Timothy Dwight Thomas Fisher & Elieazar Kingsbery to lay out the way from Nouanits brooke to Natick brooke & So through the old field upon the other Sid of Natick brook upon the land left for a way as appeers by the entiary of those lands in the booke of Grants & So to the other landes layed out by the Riuer in Natick deuident the four above named or any three of them are hereby impowered to lay out Said way

Jonathan Faiarbank making complaynt that the way to his land in the low playne is anoyed & Stoped upon consideration whereof we haue chosen Cap[t] Nathaniell Sterns Sarg[t] Thomas Metcalfe & Jonathan Metcalfe accommity to uew the way & Stake it out as neere as thay can in the Same pleace & the Same breadth as formerly the way was wont to be Improued that so the Town may haue the use thereof as there is ocation and make returne of their doeings there on

february 25 169⅘ Asembled Sarg[t] Samuell Guild Joseph Wight Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard and William Avery To Reckon with the constables

(211) This day Benjmin Oynion make return of the schoole Rate comited Into his hand to gather the which he hath gathered & payed to the Schoole master as appears by Receit under the hand of the Schoole master

The Select men haue agreed with Sir Woodward to Keep the Schoole and he hath againe Entred upon that work January the twenty first 169⅘ for which he hath agreed and is to Receiue as formerly after the Rate of twenty fiue pounds by the year aight thereof in money and So in the Same proportion for the time he shall continew to Keep the Schoole

March the 4th 169⅘ Att a Generall meeting of the freeholders & other the Inhabitance of the Town of Dedhem qualified According to law to act in Town afairs being assembled to chose Town officers Elections are as foloweth

William Avery is chosen Town clerk and one of the Select men for the year Ensuing

Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Daniell Wight Thomas Fullar & Joseph Colbarn Suruaiers of high ways

Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fisher Nathaniell Bullard Elieaser Kingsbery Select men

Comfort Starr & Daniell Aldis Constables Sargt Samuell Guild Town Treasurer

Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Thomas Fishar Nathaniell Gay John Fullar Tithing men

Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Hunting John Fishar John Smith John Deane fence vewers

William Deane John Fishar Thomas Fullar Samuell Euerid field driuers

March 4th 169⅘ The propriators of the Town Commons. being assembled this fourth of march one thousand six hundred ninty four fiue Chose John Fullar & Dannl Fishar a commity to take an account of Such Lands as are yet to be layed out in the deuidents formerly agreeed upon by the propriators. to such parsons as haue not yet taken up their Due proportions & to See that thay take their just Due And So make return under their hands of the place quantity & Abuttellments of all Such lands as are to be Recorded to the Town Clerk for the time being that So thay may be entered in the town book of Records of lands Granted by the propriators of our Town

(212) march the 8 169⅘ Assembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard and William Avery To goe throw with the agreement with John Baker conserning the schoole house & doe agree that the Said John Baker Shall goe on and build the Schoole house finding all timber bords clauebords the Shingles naills glasse brick Stone & Clay. & borde the outside & clauebords the Inside & make it close warme and desent Sutable to Such a Schoole house & to make one doore & two windows containing twelue foots of glasse also a good stone chimny nine foots between gams and to cary it out of the house with good brick twelue cors of brick aboue the house & to finde Whatsoeuer Elce is nececery & to finish Said house to

the turning of the Kay and the aboue Said house to be finished by the first of June 1695 Exepting the upar flore & clauebording the Inside which flore & Clauebording is also to be finished by the twenty fifth day of October next after the date herof for and in consideration of this aboue written we the Select men of Dedham doe agree in the behalfe of the town that the aboue said John Baker shall Receiue of the Town of Dedham twenty shilings in mony att the time when said Schoole house is raised and fiue teen pounds ten shilings att the twenty fifth of februery next to be payed in corn in Rye at four shiling per bushel & Indian corn att three shilings per bushel & So much as shall be payed of this fifteen pounds ten shilings in mony the Said John Baker shall abate one fourth part thereof he is also to Receiue the old Schoole house with what belongs thereto & the Stone & clay of the Towns lying by it [ ] the aboue Said mony and corn to be payed to John Baker to him his Heyers or Sussesers To oblige to the faithfull parformance of the whole aboue written we have here unto Set our hands this aight day of march 169⅘ [1] John Baker

In the Name & by order of the Select men
[1] William Avery Town Clerk

This day Benjamin Onion is Chosen by the Constable and Select men to Seall waits and mesurs for the year Ensuing & till another be chosen

A bill is giuen to John Ellis administrator to the Estate of Leut Richard Ellis descesed to Receiue of the Constables four pounds being the whole of what Remaines due to the Esteat of Leut Ellis aboue Said for his Seruice att the Generall Court as Representatiue for the Town of Dedham

Aprell 5th 1695 Assembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard Elieazer Kingsbery & William Avery

Isaac Chinory & Joseph Colbarn are chosen & appoynted to joyne with Meadfild men in preambulating the bound line between Dedham & Meadfield

Reckoned this day withe Jonathan Gay & Nathaniell Kingsbery for the Town Rate deliuered into their hands and there remains Due to the Town four pounds nine shilings & Six pence Corn paye 4 lb—09 s—06 d

(213) Aprell 10 1695 Assembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard & William Avery

To proportion an assessment of four pounds ten shilings being the arrears of publick Rates and what was Judged by the Generall Court that the Town ought to make good upon Consideration of the report of the Committe appoynted to hear Such matters And in parsuance of the Country Treasurers warrant parsuant to an act of the Generall Court requiring the Sam

May 2 1695 Assembled in the after noone Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard Elieazer Kingsbery & William Avery

[1] Autographs.

To Reckone with the Colectors & Constables

The Town Rate made February the 6 1689 & in part gathered by James Thorpe & Daniell Pond late Constables decesed the remaining part thereof being Commited into the hands of Nathaniell Kingsbery & Benjamin Colbarn Colecters vpon Reckoning with them we find of the abouesaid rate not balanced Eleuen pounds fiue shilings & aight pence

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Reckoned this day with Benjamin Onion late Constable for apart of the Town rate made Aprell 23 1694 & there remains due to the Town in mony two pounds ten shilings & two pence & four pounds aight & ten pence in corn pay

	lb	s	d
m	02	10	02
C	04	08	10

May 15: 1695 Att a Generall meeting of the Inhabitance & the propriators it being put to the vote of the Town whither thay will grant A Rate of one peny upon the pound to defray the debts due from the Town of which those that pay their proportions therein in mony shall haue one quarter part abated this was voted in the affirmatiue

It being also proposed to the propriators of the Town Commons whither thay will raise a leue of four ponnds & ten shilings in mony upon their Commons to pay that which remains due for mony borrowed of John & Nathaniell Richards for the use of Sd propriators this also was Voted in the affirmatiue

This day Jonathan Gay gaue information to the Town that he haue Receiued six shilings for the wrent of medows towards Sudbery which medow he was deputed to let out to a man of Sudbery for the use & benefit of the Town

The propriators desiaring their medows towards Mendon be let out for the benifite of the propriator the Select men haue desiared & deputed Samuell Gay & Benjamin Onion to let out those medows to the best aduantag thay may for the propriators

(214) May 18: 1695 Assembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Elieazer Kingsbery & William Avery to make a Schoole Rate

This day Samuell Gay & Benjamen Onion are Chosen & deputed to run the line between our Town and Mendon & Wrentham

Vpon information that James bringo a Negro is Entertained by Some of our Town the Select men doe order that he be forthwith warned to depart out of the Town and that our Inhabitance be forbiden to Entertaine him:

Joshua Fisher is Chosen pound Keeper for this present year

A Rate made by vertue of an act of the Town at their Generall meeting Desember 31 1694 for the maintinance of the Schoolle by the rules then agreed upon by the Town being two thirds of a Single Rate and So much as shall be payed thereof in money a quarter part is to be abated wherein Each

parsons proportion is as foloweth which is to be payed in good marchantable Corn Rye att 4s & Indian Corn at three shilings per bush [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Capt John Euerid, Peter Woodward, Sargt Thomas Metcalfe, John Farington, Ralph Freeman Jun, Jonathan Fullar, Sargt Samuell Guild, Peter Thorp, Vid Thorp, Samuell Thorp, Nathaniell Farington, William Mackintosh, James Makerwithe, Ralph Freeman sen, Samuell Euerid, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Deane, John Ellis, John Haws, Josiah Fishar, Eleazer Fishar, Samuell Stearns, Jonathan Faiarbank, Samuell Gay, Decon John Aldis, Vid Richards, John Richards, Daniell Alldis, Benjamin Colbarn, Vigelence Fishar, Joshua Fishar, Asahell Smith, Vid Ellis, Joseph Ellis jun, Eleazer Ellis, John Aldis, Benjamin Onion, Robert Avery, Willm Avery, Vid Mary Faiarbank, Joseph Faiarbank, John Twichell, Barakiah Leuis, Jams Falls, Thomas Clap, William Robins, James Maknab, Samuell Bullard, Joseph Damon, Thomas Hering, Ezra Mors, Samuell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, John Colbarn, Nathaniell Colbarn, Jonathan Whiting, John Gay Jun, Joshua & Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Falls. The Totall sum is 5—16—04

This part of the Schoole Rate aboue written is deliuered in the hand of Daniell Aldis Constable to Colect

Leut Daniell Pond, Robert Ware, Vid Fullar, John Eaton, Thomas Fullar, Thomas Paine, Thomas Eaton, Eleazar Kingsbery, John Fullar, Vid Metcalfe, Vid Aldridg, John Woodcok, Andraw Deuing, Jonathan Gay, Jonathan Deuing, Edward Cooke, John Smith, John Rice, John Paine, Ephram Ware, Benjamin Mills, John Gill, Mathias Ockington, Joseph Markes, Thomas Fishar, John Battele, (215) Jonathan Battele, Thomas Battele, John Fishar, Nathaniell Bullard, Daniell Wight, John Bakon, Joseph Colbarn, Daniell Draper, Caleb Pond, William Bullard, Vid Kingsbery, William Deane, John Hunting, Thomas Ockinton, John Baker, Nathaniell Gay, Comfort Starr, Vid Bacon, Samuell Bacon, Thomas Hall, Nathaniell Haws, Joseph Haws, Daniell Fishar, Joseph Wight, John Gay Sen, Ephram Wilson, Nath Richards, Vid Day, Amos Fishar, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Jun, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Ellis Sen, Samuell Ware, Ebenezar Ware, Samuell Adams. The totall sum is 6lb—1s—5d

This later part of the Schoole Rate deliuered into the hand of Comfort Starr Constable to Colect

29: 5: 1695: [1]Receued of Deacon Jnō Aldis the Summe of one hundred Twenty Eight pounds in Mony ar that which Is Equivalent wch Is the whole of that wch Is Due to me upon the Account of my yearly sallary from the 30th of October 1692 to the 15th of December in the year 1694 I Say Recd by me 28—00—00

Joseph Belcher

[1]Autograph Receipt.

This 29th of July 1695 the freeholders & Inhabitance of this Town of Dedham vpon warning & notis giuen them for that purpons met to Chose a Commisioner to Joyne with the Select men in taking alist of persons & esteats & making an assesement according to the act of the Generall Court & warant Receiued from the Treasurer and accordingly. Chose John Fullar a Commisioner for this Town & presinct

[1]Received of Deacon John Aldis to Gather with Joseph Fairbank and Thomas Fuller Constables of the Town of Dedham for the year 1697: I Say the Summ of what I have Receved of Deacon John Aldis Joseph Fairbank & Thomas Fuller amounts to Sixty pounds which Is the whole of that wch Is Due to me upon The account of my yearly sallary from the 15th: Decembr 1694: to the 15th Decembr 1696: 60—00—00

128—00—00

28th Feb: 169⅞ Joseph Belcher

June 3 1695 Asembled upon Training day Samuell Guild Daniell Fishar Eleazer Kingsbury & William Avery and then Chose and deputed Sart Thomas Metcalfe & Nathaniell Gay to lay out the high way by Barakiah Lewises house & So Southerly to Dorchester line & to make return of doeings there on the first oppertunity

(216) August 28 1695 Assembled Sargt Samuell Guild Daniell Fisher Nath Bullard Elieazer Kingsbury & William Avery Select men John Fullar Commisioner To take alist of parsons & esteats rateable and to make an assesment by vertue of a warrant Received from the Treasurer persuant to an act & law pased by the Great and Generall Court

This day the Select men have agreed with Joseph Mors to Keep the Schoole for which he is to Receiue of the Town after the Rate of twenty five pounds by the year whereof aight pounds is to be mony the other Seventeen pounds Corn Rye at four shilings per bushell & Indian Corn att three shilings per bushell

Sir Mors has begun upon the work of Keep the Schoole the Second day of September 1695

September 23: 1695 Capt Timothy Dwight Thomas Battele Thomas Fishar and Elieazer Kingsbery being Chosen & deputed a Commity to lay out a way to the fields and lands layed out towerds Natick make their return as foloweth

In attendance to which order we went the twenty third of September 1695 and layed out Said way from Nowannets brooke where the way is now drawen to a run of watter & So by the Southerly Side of John Bacons land & So on where the way is now drawen to the land of John & Jonathan Battele the way lying betwixt their lands & so over Clay brook on the

[1] Autograph Receipt.

Southerly Side of John Bacons & John Batteles land to the bridge & So over the bridge through the land granted to Major Lusher to a ridge of high land as it is marked one the South side & by the marked tree down the Sd ridge about most of the ploughed land as the way is now drawen to the high banck against or neer the river and so along upon the high bank against the land of John Bacon at the Northerly end of the lots of land he doe now posese. and So out of the said fenced lots & by the northerly side of John Bacons fence where now there is a way drawen by Jonathan Gay to a swale or run of watter & so over the same to that end of the lots where it is most benifishall for the propriators to have away all the Said way on both Sides of the Said field is to be four rods wide & at Clay brook fve rods wide & through the Said field a drift way of four rods wide as long as it is maintained with good Sliping bars or g^{e}ates & when the Town see Cause to have it a open way then to be three rods wide

Desember 16 1695 Asembled Samvell Guild Danell Fishar Nathaniel Bullard Elieazer Kingsbery & William Avery to make the Town Rate

(217) Desember 16 1695 A Rate made to defray the Towns debts of twelve pence on the poll & of one peny on the pound of esteate whereof Such as pay their proportion in money shall have a quarter part abated according to the act of the Town may the 15th 1695 each parsons proportion therein being prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows with following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Capt John Euerid, Peter Woodward, Serg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe, John Dean, John Ellis, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Everid, Josiah Fishar, Ralph Freeman Sen, James Makerwithe, Elieazer Fishar, William Makintosh, Nathaniell Farington, Peter Thorp Benjam̃ Colbarn, Sarg^{t} Samvell Gvild, Jonath Fullar, John Farington, Samvell Stearns, Vigelence Fishar, Joshva Fishar, John Hunting. Benj. Onion, Samvell Gay, John Gay jun̄, John Haws, Barakiah Lewes, Samvell Adams, Samvell Thorp, Decon John Alldis, Daniell Alldis, Asahell Smith, John Richards, Boaz Brown, William Bullard, Jonath Faiarbank, Samuell Bullard, Josep Faiarbank, William Avery, John Alldis, Elieazer Ellis, Josep Ellis jun̄. Thomas Hering, Nathaniell Colbarn, John Colbarn, Ezra Mors, Timothy Whiting, Samvell Whiting, Jams Maknab, Jonath Whiting, Jams Falls, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshua Clap, Elieazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Wm Robins Totall 10^{lb}–04^{s}–00^{d}

The above written is for Daniell Alldis Constable to Colect

Leut Daniell Pond, Thomas Battele Rober Avery, Hanah Fullar, John Eaton, Thomas Paine, Thomas Fullar, Elizebeth Metcalfe, Hannah Alldridg John Woodcock, Benj Mills, John Smith, John Rice, Elieazar Kingsbery Thomas Ockinton, Nathaniell Gay, John Baker, Mathias Ockinton, Mary

and Nathaniell Kingsbery, Jonath Gay, Andraw Dewing, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, Edward Coocke, John Fullar, William Deane, Elizebeth Bacon, Sarah Day, John Gay Sen, Daniell Wight, John Fishar, Samvell Bacon, Thomas Eaton, Robert Ware, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fishar, Na, thaniell Haws, Thomas Hall, Joseph Haws, John Battele, Daniell Fisher, Joseph Wight, Daniell Draper, Daniell Larance, Peter Wadkins, Nathaniell Richards, Ephram Wilson, John Bacon, Amos Fishar, Jonath Battele, Joseph Colbarn, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Jun, John Draper, Nathaniell Bullard, Samvell Ware, Joseph Ellis Sen, John Paine, Caleb Pond, John Mason, Joseph Markes, Samvell Alldridg, John Gill

This later part of the Town Rate is for Comfort Starr Constable to Colect totall 9—15—6

(218) Desember the 23 1695 Assembled Sarg^{t} Samvell Gvild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard & Eleazar Kingsbery to Reckon with the Constables

Reckoned this day with Nathaniell Kingsbery Colector & there remains due to him for two years Ringing the bell & sweeping the meeting House the Just sum of one pound Sixteen shilings after his payment of Mr Dwights bill of Eleven shilings & eleven pence & John Ellises bill of nine shilings then remains Due to Nathaniell Kingsbery 01^{lb}—16^{s}—00^{d}

Reckoned also this Day with Jonathan Gay & there remains Due to the Town of the schoole Rate from Jonath Gay late Const two shilings & eight pence 00—02—08

The School Rate Desember 30 1695 Assembled Sarg^{t} Samvell Gvild Nathan- Bullard Eleazer Kingsbery & William Avery To make the schoole Rate

This day a rate is made by vertve of an act of the Town at their Generall meeting Desember 31: 1694 for the maintinance of the Schoole by the Rules then agreed upon being two thirds of a single rate whereof one third is to be payed in money and two thirds in Corn Rye at four shilings & Indian Corn at three shilings par bushell wherein Each persons proportion is the Same in quantaty withe the Schoole rate made the eighteenth of may this present year to which Rate we refer for a copie of each persons proportion in the abovesaid Rate made Desember the thirteth being Comited into the hands of the Constables the part belonging to Daniell Alldis Constable to Colect the totall thereof is five pounds Sixteen shilings and three pence that part belonging to Comfort Starr Constable to Colect the totall Sum there of is Six pounds & eight pence

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Daniell Aldis	05	16	03
Comfort Starr	06	00	08

february the 17 169$\frac{5}{6}$ Assembled Sarg^{t} Samvell Gvild Daniell Fishar

Nathaniell Bullard Elieazar Kingsbery & William Avery to Reckon with the Constables

Reckoned this day with John Smith Constable for the town Rate made aprell the 23 1694 & there remains Due to the Town from Said John Smith on that account Eleven pounds two shilings & one peny 11lb—02s—01d

also this day Decon John Alldis did bring in an account of the nams of these that had not payed their proportions of our Revd Pastars Psalery for the last year being the year of our lord 1695

february the 24 169⅝ Assembled Sargt Samvell Gvild Daniell Fishar Nathaniell Bullard & William Avery

This day our Revd Pastar being present & the Commitey betrusted with care of the Schoole money Severall parsons ware Reckoned with for the rent doe & Severall of the bonds ware rennewed

(219) March the 2 169⅝ Att the Generall Town meeting Elections are as foloweth William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk & one of the Select men for the year Ensueing also Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Sargt Samvell Gvild John Fullar & Daniell Fishar are Chosen Select men for this present year

Samvell Bullard & Joseph Colbarn are Chosen Constables

Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Thomas Fishar Nathaniell Gay John Fullar Tithing men

Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Samvell Gay Nathaniell Richards Elieazar Kingsbery Suruairs of High Wais

John Hunting Thomas Fullar Josiah Fishar Daniell Wight Joseph Faiarbank fence vewers

Samvell Everid John Smith John Fishar field drivers

This day our Reverend Pastar did propose to the Town that if thay would make up his psalery to the proportion of Sixty pounds by the year for this present qvarter of the year begining at the 15th of Desember 1695 that Mr Belcher our said Rd Pastar will take up with a free Contribution for the other three qvarters of the year ending att the 15th of Desember 1696 the above said proposition the Town declared that thay doe exept thereof by a Full Vote And to the end that the quarter of the year above mentioned may be payed in Dve proportion the Town by their vote declared that their minde is that the Decons shall ade to each persons proportion in the last years psalery one quarter part

This day Sum of our friends in Roxbery that doe ordenerely attend upon the publick worship of god with us in our Congregation haveing manifested their desiares to Contribute to our Rd Pastar in the way of a free Contribution the Town by their Vote declared that they are freely willing there to So long as our Town doth practis that way of free Contribution amongst

ourselves provided thay full fill. their offar to us for the last years Contribution and Joyne with us in baring a proportion in one quarter of a year begining desember the 15 1695

It was this day proposed To the Town Whither thay will erect galeryes in the meeting house above the other galleryes that So there may be roome to accommodate parsons with Convenient Seats in the meeting house This was Voted in the afirmative also the Town by their Vote declared that thay would chose a Commity of five men to manage this work & accordingly Chose Nathaniell Gay Samvell Gay Eleazar Kingsbery Jonathan Metcalfe & Josiah Fishar their Commity for this work in the meeting house to take the care & over sight thereof

March the 23: 1695-6 Assembled Sarg^t Thomas Metcalfe John Fuller Sarg^t Samvell Gvild Sarg^t Daniell Fishar and William Avery To make the Country Rate

(220) March tne 16 1695-6 The propriators of the Common lands belonging to this Town of Dedham being met according to their appoyntment and notis given att the Generall Town meeting the Second day of this Instant March to Consider what might be nesessery to be done for the Securing and regulating of their propriaty

It was then proposed to the Said propriator Whither thay will Grant a tract or percell of upland medow & swamp to the Quantaty of three hundred acres to be wholy to the use and benifit of a schoole towardes the maintinance thereof in this Town of Dedham in that tract of land neer Sudbery of the best of their land medow & swamp there that which may be most prophitable towards the maintinance of a schoole which thay will lay out order and Improve to that end by a Commity which thay will Choose & appoynt to that work this was Granted in the afirmative

Accordingly the propriator Chose a Commity to lay out said tract or parcell of land for the benifit of the schoole the Commity Chosen are Capt Timothy Dwight Jonathan Gay and John Smith

It was also this day put to the propriators Whithar thay will Grant an addition of twenty acres of land to their late devidents mentioned and agreed upon att their Generall meeting the fift of the Eleventh month 1690 which twenty acres shall be for the Satisfaction of Nathaniell Richards and John Richards on account of money formerly borrowed for the use of the propriators. to be-taken up where the Said John & Nathaniell Richards can finde it to their Sattisfaction in the Common lands of the Town Exepting on the North Sde of the road leading from the lower falls to Sherborn this was also Granted in the afirmative

This day Joseph Ellis señ make a Request to the propriators to give him two acres of land by his Seler & Joyning to his own land att the North end of Rock medow plaine this was likewise Granted in the afirmative

also Edward Cooke did this day make a motion to the propriators to give him six acres of land neer Magus hill this also was Granted in the afirmative this grant to Edward Cooke is to be understod to be the same which he had formerly moved for

May the 11 1696 Att a Generall meeting of the freeholders and other Inhabitance of this town of Dedham being met Vpon due warning and notis given them to Chose a Representative by vertve of a presept directed to the Select men reqviring the Same did accordingly Chose John Fullar their Representative for the year Ensuing

This day the Town being Informed that Roxbery men & our men deputed to run the line between Roxbery and Dedham did not finish that work the Town doe leave the cear of that Consern with the Select men

This 11 day of may 1696 Asembled Sarg^t^ Thomas Metcalfe John Fullar Sarg^t^ Samvell Gvild Daniell Fishar & William Avery Chose Capt Timothy Dwight Decon John Alldis John Alldis Juner Jonathan Whiting Ezra Mors and William Avery to Joyne with Roxbery men in finishing that work of runing & new marking the bound line between Roxbery and Dedham

Joshva Fishar is Chosen pound Keeper for the year Ensving

In answer to an order Received from the Select men of Watertown we have desiered & appoynted Jonathan Gay & John Smith to Joyne with their men in perambulation of the bounds line between Watertown and Dedham at the time thay have appoynted

(221) July the 7 1696 Assembled Sarg^t^ Thomas Metcalfe John Fullar Sarg^t^ Samvell Gvild & William Avery Select men to make a schoole Rate and Settle the way to the Church Medow

Whereas there have been a diffirance between the Town of Dedham & Amos Fisher refering to a way to the Church medow throw Said Amos Fishers land at the place Commonly called Six acres: This Day the Select men above said with Amos Fisher afore said being repaired to the Church medow to Confer about and Settle a way to Said medow throw the afore Said Amos Fishers land. The premises being discoursed and Considered and all things waied for a Full and finall Settlement and Iseue of the matter in Contrivera— It is mutually agreeed and Concluded upon by the Select men and Amos Fisher aforesaid that the way to Saied medow be an open way one rode and an halfe wide layed out in the end of Said Amos Fishers Vpland Next to the land that was foremerly Edward Richards. from the way that leads to the medowes of John Gay and Mary Browne the Relict of John Richards Decesed till it Comes to the Said Amoses Medow that was his Fathers and then turning towards the North west untell it Comes to the afore Said Church medow, for which Said Space of Vpland one Rode and one halfe wide the above Said Amos Fisher is to have in full Satisfaction for the

Same forty shilings in money which forty Shilings Said Amos exepts as full Satisfaction for Said way In witnesse whereof I the Said Amos Fisher have hereunto Set my hand the year and day above Said

[1] Amos Fisher

This Seventh of July 1696 the above Said Amos Fisher did make this agreement above written Conferming the way to the Church medow and did accknowledg it and signe it with his own hand in the presence of the Selectmen then assembled

As attest William Avery Town Cle—

A Rate made for the maintinance of the Schoole of Six pence on the pol and one half peny on the pound of estate to be payed in or as money wherein Each persons proportion is as foloweth [*Table follows, with following names, figures here omitted See introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Capt John Everid, Peter Woodward, Sarg^{t} Thomas Metcalf, John Deane, John Ellis, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Everid, Josiah Fisher, Ralph Freeman Sen, James Makerwithe Sen, James Makerwithe Juñ, Eleazer Fisher, William Makintosh, Nathaniell Farington, Peter Thorp, Benjamin Colbarn, Samvell Gvild, Jonathan Fullar, John Farington, Samvell Stearns, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher, John Huntting, Benjamin Onion, Samvell Gay, John Gay Jun, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Decon John Alldis, Daniell Aldis, Asahell Smith, John Richards, William Avery, Jonathan Faierbanks, Boaz Browne, Samvell Bullard, Samvell Adams, Samvell Thorp, William Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, John Alldis, (222) Eleazer Ellis, Joseph Ellis Jun, Thomas Hering, Nathaniell Colbarn, John Colbarn, Ezra Mors, Timothy Whiting, Samvell Whiting, James Macknab, Jonath Whiting, James Falls, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Willlam Robins.

To Samvell Bullard Constable to Colect the totall whereof is 5^{lb} 4^{s} 0^{d}

Leut Daniell Pond, Robert Ware, Thomas Battelle, Robert Avery, Hannah Fullar, John Eaton, Thomas Paine, Thomas Fullar, Elizebeth Metcalfe, Hannah Alldridg, John Woodcock, Benjamin Mills, John Smith, John Rice, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, Nathaniell Gay, John Baker, Mathias Ockinton, Mary & Nath Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, Andraw Duing, Daniell Fisher, Joseph Wight, Nath Bullard, Ebenezer Ware, Jonath Deuing, Edward Cooke, John Fullar, Elizebeth Bacon, Sarah Day, John Gay Sen, Daniell Wight, John Fisher, Samvell Alldridg, Samvell Bacon, Thomas Eaton, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Nathaniell Haws, Thomas Hall, Joseph Haws, John Battelle, Nath Richards, Daniell Draper, Daniell Larance, Ephram Wilson, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Jonathan Battele, Joseph Colbarn, Isaac Chinnory Sen, Isaac Chinnory, John Draper, Samvell Ware, Joseph Ellis Señ, John Paine, Caleb Pond, John Mason, Joseph Markes, John Gill

[1] Autograph.

To Joseph Colbarn Constable to Colect the Totall whereof is 4lb–17s–1d.

August the 5: 1696 Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Fuller Sargt Samvell Guild Sargt Daniell Fisher & Wm Avery

To make an assessment of eighty pounds on our Inhabitance by vertve of a warrant Received from the Country Treasurer persvent to an act of the Great and Generall Court

August the 11 1696 Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Fullar Sargt Samvell Gvild Sargt Daniell Fisher & Wm Avery To perfect the lists of Said assessment

August the 24 Assembled John Fullar Sargt Samvell Gvild Sargt Daniell Fisher & William Avery To make an assessment of five pounds & ten shilings by vertve of a warrant Received from the Court of Generall Qverter sessions for this County of Suffolk

(228) November the 30th 1696 Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Leut Samvell Giuld & William Avery This day Reckoned with Benjamin Onion late Constable and all a counts are even between him and the Town his Dve for runing the line at Wrentham & Mendon being discharged

This day Reckoned with John Smith late Constable on acount of that part of the Town Rate Committed into said Constables hand to colect and there remains Doe to the town four pound twelve shilings & eleven pence 4—12—11

there is credebt given in the abovesaid Reckoning with John Smith one pound Eight shilings and Eight pence for so much payed to Sargt Thomas Metcalfe in part of a bill and one pound fifteen shilings & six pence to John Ellis in part of his bill

This day Edward Cooke haveing Received the money Contributed for the Releefe of Peter Wodkins in his late Sickness I the Said Edward Cooke doe Promise to take ceare of and provide for Said peter that which is nesesery for his releefe till Sutch time as he be recovered of his present Ilness without puting the Town to any further Charge from the time of his first comeing to my house as wittnesse my hand Edward X Cooke
his marke

Reckoned this 30th of Nouember with Daniell Alldis late Constable and there Remaines Dve on acount of the Town Rate Committed in to the hand of Said Constable to Colect three pounds nine shilings & two pence 03-09-02

in this Reckning with Daniell Alldis Constable there is three pound two shilings payed on acount of abill to Mr Dwight The account above written was cleared by Daniell Aldis Constable upon a Reckoning made February the 27 169$\frac{8}{9}$

January the 4 169$\frac{8}{7}$ Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe Leut Samv Gvild John Fullar Sargt Dan^ll Fisher and William Avery

This day Reckoned with Comfort Starr late Constable for the schoole Ratees committed into Said Constables hand to Colect and there remains due to the Town on account of Said Rates thirteen shilings and five pence in case it be payed in money a quarter part is to be abated 00—13—05

also Reckoned this 4th of Januery with Comfort Starr Constable for the Town Rate Committed into Said Constables hand to Colect and there remains dve to the Town on account of Said town rate from Said Constable one pound ten shilings & nine pence and in case it be payed in money one quarter part is to be abated 01—10—09

(224) November: 16 1696 Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Fullar Leut Samvell Gvild & William Avery Selectmen

The abovesaid Select men in behalfe of the Town of Dedham Agreeed with Mr Samvell Whitman to Keep the Schoole this present year for which service as Schoole master being duely perforemed the Said Mr Samvell Whitman is to Receive of the Town twenty five pounds in money in two eqvall payments the first after Six monthes Schooling the Second when the year is expired Said Schoole master began to Keep the Schoole the third week in Nouember 1696

february the 22: 169⅞ Assembled Sargt Thomas Metcalfe John Fuller Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Daniell Fisher and William Avery

This day Reckoned with Daniell Alldis Constoble and there remains Dve to the Town from Said constable on account of the Schoole Rates Committed into his hand to Colect one pound nine shilings in money 01—09—00

This day Reckoned with John Smith late Constable for that which remained due from Said Constable on account of the Town rate in his Reckoning the 30 day of Nouember last and all accounts Cleared with him Said John Smith paying to John Fuller fourteen shilings and seven pence

This day Reckoned with Joseph Colbarn Constable for for the Schoole Rate Committed into Said Constables hand to Colect and all accounts are Clered by Joseph Colbarn on the account of Said Rate he having payed to Mr Joseph Mors four pound Seventeen shilings as appears by Receit under Sayed Morses hand

This day Reckoned with Samvell Bullard Constable for the Schoole Rate Commited into the hand of Said Constable to Colect and all accounts are Cleared by Samvell Bullard on account of Said Rate as appears by Scooll master Morses Receit of five pounds and four shilings in money

March the i 1696-7 Att a Generall meeting of the inhabitance and propriators the Inhabitance Qualified according to law to act in Town afaiers Chose Sargt Thomas Metcalfe and John Fuller modarators for their present meeting

It was proposed to the Town whither thay will Grant a Rate of fifty

pounds in money to be Gathered for the defraying of the Towns Debts & for the Repayering of and making Inlergment of Galeryes in the meeting house the Town by their Vote answer in the afirmative

Whereas the Town has not yet had an aqvitance from our Reverend Paster on account of his Salary for the year 1695 by reson that Severall persons are Sumthing behind hand in paying their proportions theirtoo

[225] The Qvestion was put to the Town Whither thay will order that our Revr[d] Paster shall Receive out of the Town Rate of the money which Comes first to hand for the Clearing of what remaines Dve on account of his Salary that So the Town may have an aqvitance and ad that which Remaines Due from perticuler persons to their proportions in the Town Rate to be Colected therewith this by the Generall Vote of the Town was Granted in the afirmative

This above said first of March being the day appoynted for the Choyce of town Officers Elections are as foloweth

William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the Selectmen for the year ensveing

Leu[t] Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer

Leu[t] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher Select men

Joseph Faierbank & Thomas Fuller Constables

Nathaniell Bullard Ens Boaz Browne Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Samvell Gay Jonathan Fuller & John Smith Tithing men

Serg[t] Thomas Metcalfe Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbury Nathaniell Richards & Joseph Colburn Survaiers of high wayes

John Huntting Ensig Robert Avery John Gay John Deane John Ellis John Fisher John Smith & John Rice fence vewers

Samvell Everid Benjamin Onion John Fisher & John Smith field drivers

Our Rever[d] Paster being this Day present in the Town meeting declared his Kind and thankfull exeptance of what the Town had done for him the last year on account of his Salary in a way of free Contribution and declared that from the Confidence he had of the Towns love to him that he would take up and be Satisfied with what the Town shall See good to give him this present year also in the way of a free Confribution

[226] Vpon this first of March 169$\frac{6}{7}$ before mentioned it being put to the Town whither thay will Choose assessers for the making their publick assessments for this present year the Town by their Vote answer in the Negative

It was also put to the town whither thay will raise our Rev[d] Pasters Salary by a free Contribution for this present year the town answer in the afirmative

It was further proposed to the Town whither thay will begin and end the year for paying and making up accounts with our Rev[d] Paster with Reference to his yearly psalary on the first munday in march yearly this also the town answared in the afirmative

The Town and propriators did this Day a Jurne their meting vnto the eight day of march this Instant year

march the 8: 169$\frac{8}{7}$ The Inhabitance and propriators of the Common or undevided lands lying within this Town of Dedham being assembled according to their appoyntment in their former meeting on the first of march this present year

This eighteth day of March abovesaid it was proposed to the Town then assembled as afore Said whither thay will make one single Seat over the galeryes in the meeting house at present as neer the Roofe as may be with Convenience this was answared in the Affirmative

It was also proposed to the Town whither thay will Grant an assessment of twenty three pounds in money towards the maintenance of the Schoole for this present year this also was Answered in the Afirmative

This day it was proposed to the propriators whither thay will lay out in a devident all their Common and undevided lands remaining after the three hundred acres Granted for the use and benifit of a Schoole is layed out lying within the bounds of this Town of Dedham on the Northerly side of Sherborn Roade leading to the lower falls this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the propriators whither thay will devide it by lott each propriator taking his proportion in Said devident as it shall fall to him by lot this was answared in the afirmative

It was also proposed to the propriators abovesaid whither thay will lay out their lands lying within the bounds of our Town beyond Wrentham this was answered in the afirmative

[227] March the 22 1696-7 Assembled Lev[t] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher and William Avery To make the Country Rate according to the Treasurer warrant persvent to an act of the Generall Court

Aprell the 2: 1697 Assembled Levt Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher & William Avery To make the Schoole Rate

An assement Made according to an act of the Town at at their Generall meeting March the Eight 1696-7 for the maintinance of the Schoole to be payed in money wherin Each persons proportion is prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows with following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Cap[t] Timothy Dwight, Cap[t] Nathanell Stearns, Cop[t] John Everid, John Deane, John Haws, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Ellis, Samvell Everid, Ralph

Freeman Sen, James Makerwithe Jun, Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Willi^{m} Makintosh, Barakiah Lewes, Daniell Larance, Nathanell Farington, Peter Thorp, Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild, Sarg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe & Thomas Metcalfe Juñ, Peter Woodward, Jonathan Fuller, John Farington, Samvell Stearns, Decon John Alldis, Josiah Cobet, Daniell Alldis, Samvell Thorp, Asahell Smith, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Vigelence Fisher, Benjamin Colburn, Joshva Fisher, John Huntting, Ezra Mors, Jonathan Faierbank, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, James Maknab, Richard Trusdell, Eleazer Ellis, Joseph Ellis Jun, Thomas Hering, Nathanell Colburn, John Colburn, Timothy Whiting, Samvell Whiting, Jonathan Whiting, James Falls, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn. William Robins, Samvell Adams.

for Joseph Faierbank Constable to Colect the totall sum whereof is 11^{lb} 08^{s} 01^{d}

This eleven pounds eight shilings & a peny was payed to Mr Sam Whitman by Said Constable as appear by Mr Whitmans Receit under his hand [*Table follows, with following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Robert Ware, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Hall, Joseph Haws, John Battele, Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher, Decon Joseph Wight, Samvell & Timothy Gay, John Gay Jun, John Gay Sen, Daniell Wight, Daniell Draper, Nathanell Richards, Robert Avery, Hannah Fuller, John Eaton, Thomas Paine, Thomas Fuller, Elizebeth Metcalfe, Hannah Alldridg, Ephram Wilson, John Woodcock, John Smith, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockington, John Rice, Nathaniell Gay, John Baker, Nathanell Kingsbery, Wido Kingsbery, Jonath Gay, Andraw Deuing, Leu^{t} Daniell Pond, Ebenezar Ware, Jonathan Deving, Edward Cooke, John Fuller, Benjamin Onion, John Baker, [228] Amos Fisher, Thomas Battele, Jonath Battele, John Fisher, Caleb Pond, Joseph Colburn, Isaac Chinnory Sen, Isaac Chinnory Jun, John Draper, Nathanell Bullard, Samvell Ware, William Bullard, Joseph Ellis Señ, John Paine, John Mason, Samvell Alldridg, Samvell Bacon, Thomas Eaton, Benjamin Mills, Samvell Homes, Joseph Bullard, Andraw Wodkins.

This later part of the schoole Rate is for Thomas Fuller Constable to Colect the totall sume is 11—16—01

This eleven pounds sixteen shiling was payed to Mr Samvell Whitman as apeer by his [ ] recets by Thomas Fuller Constable

The Select men being assembled this second day of aprell 1697 then Chose and deputed Nathaniell Bullard John Fuller John Deane and Jonathan Gay to attend the work of perambulating the bounds line between Dedham and Natick according as it was Stated by the Hn^{d} Court

Upon notis given by the Select men of Dorchester we have accordingly Chosen and deputed Capt John Everid & Samvell Whiting to meet with their

ageants upon the twenty Six day of this Instant Aprell at the place they have appoynted to run and new mark the the line between Dorchester & Dedham

By Vertve of apresept Received under the hand of the High sheriff Reqviering the Same the freeholders and other the Inhabitance of this Town of Dedham Qalified as is therein directed upon dve notis given to that end assembled and met upon the tenth day of may 1697 and then did Elect and depute Sargt Thomas Metcalfe their Representative for the year ensuing

May the 14 1697 Assembled Levt Samvell Gvild Sargt Danll Fisher Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Sgt Josiah Fisher and William Avery

To finish the Town Rate

An assessment made by vertue of an act of the Town at their Generall meeting in march the first 1696-7 also an addition of the proportion due from Sum perticuler persons that have not payed their proportions eqvall with others to Decon John Alldis on account of our Paster the Revd Mr Joseph Belcher his Salary to be payed in money for the ends mentioned in Said act of the Town wherein each persons proportion is as foloweth [*Table follows, containing following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Capt Nath Stearns. Capt John Everid, John Deane, John Haws, Jonath Metcalfe, John Ellis, Samvell Everid, Ralph Freeman Señ, Jams Makerwithe Juñ, Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, William Makintosh, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Larance, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Samvell Gvild, Thom̄ Metcalfe & Tho Metcalfe Juñ, Peter Woodward, Jonath Faierbank, John Farington, Jonath Fullar, Samvell Stearns, Decon John Alldis, Josiah Cobet, Daniell Alldis, Samvell Thorp, Asahell Smith, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Vigelence Fisher, Benjamin Colburn, Joshva Fisher, John Huntting, Ezra Mors, Samvell Bullard, [229] Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, James Maknab, Richard Trusdell, Eleazer Ellis, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathaniell Colburn, John Colburn, Timothy Whiting. Samvell Whiting, Jonathan Whiting, James Falls, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, William Robins, Samvell Adams, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Vido Thorp, James Makerwithe Sen.

totall sum 26—4—2

This part of the Town Rate above written is Com̄ited into the hand of Joseph Faierbank Constable to Colect and pay according to order

Robert Ware, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Battele, Sargt Daniell Fisher, Decon Joseph Wight, Samvell & Tim̄o Gay, John Gay Señ, John Gay Juñ, Daniell Draper, Daniell Wight, Nath, Richards, Robert Avery, Hannah Fullar, John Eaton, Thomas Paine Thomas Fuller, Elizebeth Metcalfe, Hannah Alldridg, Samvell Ware, Joseph Ellis, Señ, Thomas Eaton, Ephram Wilson, John Woodcock, John Smith, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Rice, Nathanell Gay, Benj Mills, Joseph

Bullard, Mathias Ockinton, Joseph Marks, John Gill, William Dean, Lev Dan[ll] Pond, Thomas Battele, John Baker, Nathanell Kingsbery, Mary Kingsbery, William Bullard, John Paine, Samvell Homs, Nathanell Haws, Jonathan Gay, Andraw Deuing, Ebenezar Ware, Jonathan Deuing, Edward Cooke, John Fuller, Benj Onion, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Jonath Battele, John Fisher, Caleb Pond, Joseph Colburn, Isaac Chinnory Sen, Isaac Chinnory Jun, John Draper, Nathanell Bullard, John Mason, Samvell Alldridg, Samvell Bacon, Lidia Chickring, Andraw Wodkins, Thomas Hall.

This later part of the Town Rate is Comited into the hand of Thomas Fuller Constable to Colect the totall Sum 35—6—11

May 21: 1697 Received of the Country Treasurer five Certificats for Wolves the Number of each is as foloweth (64) (184) (246) (388) (418) Certificats returned No 418 five wolves January 16: 1698-9 Ret No 388 four W & 3 Wl March the 4 1$\frac{699}{700}$ retur[d] nom[64] one wolf & 8 whelps March 26 1701 returnd No 246 with 4 grown wolv february 26th 170$\frac{1}{2}$ return[d] No (184

(**230**) June 1 1697 Assembled Leu[t] Samvell Guild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher & William Avery selectmen and met at the place Commonly Caled six acres at the Church medow together with all the other partyes perticulerly Concerned to run the line and did muteally agree that the line on the South Easterly side of the Church medow as it is now staked out a straight line from Charles River to the upland of Amos Fisher is the true bounds between the Church medow and the medows of Daniell Amos & John Fisher and the line on the westerly sid of said Church medow as it is now staked & hath vsialy been fenced from Charles River on the North Straight to the upland of Amos Fisher on the South is the true bounds between the Church medow and the medow of Said Amos Fisher formerly Granted to m[r] Ralph Wheelock

August 21: 1697 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher and William Avery To make an assessment of fifty eight pounds ten shilings. by vertve of an order Receid from the Country Treasurer persuent to an act of the Great and Generall

October 25 1697 Assembled Lev[t] Samuell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery and William Avery then Chose and deputed Sarg[t] Thomas Metcalf Lev[t] Samvell Gvild and Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher a Commity to lay out a high way by the ridge hill neer to the house of Jonathan Metcalfe as may be most conuenient for the use of the Town and propriators of lands a Jasent thereunto

November 1: 1697 Assembled Lev[t] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher and William Avery

Reckoned this i of November 1697 with Daniell Alldis late Constab for the Schoole Rate made Desember 30th 1695 & all accounts are Cleered on

account of said rate as appears by Receit under the hand of m^{r} Joseph Mors late schoole master to said Constable

also reckned this first of November with Daniell Alldis late Constable for the schoole Rate made Desember 31: 1694 and there remaiins Dve to the Town from said Constab in money on account of said schoole rate six shiling and two pence this six shilings & two pene was discharged by Daniell Alldis upon a reckning made up with the selectmen the 27 day of february 1698-9

(231) In adition to our agreement with John Baker Concerning the Schoole house for his removeing the chimny and Caring it up without the house according to his first agremmnt twelve Course of brick above the house we the selectmen In the behalf of the Town of Dedham doe Agree to alow to the said John Baker thirty shilings for so doeing in money

November the 19 1697 at a Generall meeting of the Inhabitants of Dedham in persvence of an act of the Great and Generall Court to Chose Assessors

The Town by their vote declared the select men to be their assessors for the present tax & doe agree that pols be set at three silings per polle in sd tax

It being put to the vote of the Town whither thay will Choose a commity of five men to seat persons in the meeting house in the upar Galaryes this was answered in the afirmative The Commity Chosen are Decon John Alldis Decon Joseph Wight Sarg^{t} Tho: Metcalfe Nathaneall Bullard & Asahell Smith It was further put to the Town whither the Commity above named shall have power to accommodate all parsons that want seats according to their best decresion this also was answered in the afirmative

The Town by vote declared it to be there minds that the seat in the uper galary ouer the womens galary shall be for yong women or maids to sit in

The select men this day making report to the Town what thay had done in a greement withe the select men of Roxbery to Ishve the difarance between Roxbery and Dedham conserning the line between the two Towns neer to the house of Jonathan Whiting & the house of Jonathan Draper the Town by their vote declared their good exeptance and Confirmation of their agreement

November the 24 1697 Assembled Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery

To proportion atax of Seventy five pounds by vertve of a warrant Received from the Country Treasurer persvent to an act of the great and Generall Court

Desember the 27 1697 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sg^{t} Dan^{ll} Fisher Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery

Reckoned this 27 of Desember with Comfort Starr late Constable and there Remains dve to the Town from said Constable on account of the

schoole Rates and the Town Rate Commited into said Constables hand to Colect one pound ten shilings in money It is to be understood that in the Reckning with Comfort Starr there is two shilings discounted of Joseph Markes Rate & one shiling of John Gills Rate

Desember the 29 1697 Assembled Lev^{t} Sam̄ Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery

This day five wolves heads were entered in a Certificate to the Treasurer for Joseph Fairbanks Constable to Receive whereof two ware kiled by Barakiah Lewis two by Daniell Draper and one by John Draper

Reckoned this 8 day of Desember 1698 with Comfort Starr lat Constable and there remains Dve to the Town ten shilings money 0-10-0 payed to the Towns by Comfort Starr lat Constable to the full Satisfaction of the town

(282) Dedham Febrvary 1: 1697-8 Att a Generall meeting of the propriators of the Common or undevided lands lying within the bounds of this Town of Dedham

It being put to the propriators of that tract of land lying within our Town bounds west of Wrentham and easterly from Mendon Whither they will Chose a Commity to view said land and take a Circumferance of So much thereof as they shall Judge fit to be layed out and make return to the Said propriators of their doeings thereon at their meeting on the first tusday in June next this was answered in the afirmative The Commity Chosen to attend said service are Leu^{t} John Ware Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild & Samvell Gay

It was further put to the propriators whither thay will Chose the men appoynted to run Netick line a Commity to take a Circumferance of their land toward Sudbery yet to be layed out and make return thereof this was answered in the afirmative

Mr Timothy Dwight did this day move to the propriators for Satisfaction for land Granted to his Father John Dwight joyning to the mill pond and mill streame which land was layed down to the use of the Town at the seting up of the new mill in land at springfield Joyning to his owne land two acres for one this was answered in the afirmative

Also Mr Dwight did move to the propriators for libarty to take up the remainder of that Corner of land Joyning to his land not formerly Granted to any other person in addittion to the devident to be layed out towards Sudbery to be in his proportion to said devident provided it be accounted acre for acre therewith this was Granted in the afirmative This grant to John Dwight recorded page 99 in book of record of Grants

It being put to the propriators whither thay will Chose a Com̄ity to vew land upon on Island in the purchesed medows in order to making Satisfaction to Thomas Hering for a hors way to mill through his lot and that this

Commity shall have power to Grant him Satisfaction in land this was answered in the afirmative The Commity Chosen thereunto are Mr Timo Dwight & Ashell Smith

Sargt Daniell Fisher did this day move to the propriators for liberty to take upland in exchang for land layed down by him to acommodat the way to the saw mill between Rock field and west field Joyning to his own land acre for acre this was granted in the afirmative

Memorandum it is to be understud that the propriators of that percell of land above named lying west of Wrentham and east of Mendon. the Majority of Said propriators were present in the meeting when said act was pased Likewise it was tried and found that the majority of propryatie was present before any act was pased in said meeting with reference to any other part of the propryaty

March the 4 1697–8 Our Paster being present with the Select men Nathanell Gay was Chosen one of the Commity to take care of the schoole money in the place of Levt Daniell Pond after his Decese

[233] The propriators This first of febrvary abovesaid taking into their Consideration the many Changes and alianations that have been made in the propriaty since the first Settlement of the Common rights as the now stand upon Record and the dificulttyes that arise thereby to find out and make a Just and equall distribution of those devidents of land agreeed upon to be layed out or that may hereafter be agreeed upon It was therefore put to the Vote of the propriators Whither every propriator that Chalengeth any right in land to be layed out shall bring in an account to the Town Clerk of the number of his Common rights and make his right to appear And the Town Clerk to make a true list thereof for the better direction of such as are or shall be deputed and Impowered to lay out such land this was answared in the afirmative

Febrvary 2: 1697–8 assembled after lecture Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Daniell Fisher Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery and William Avery Select men

Ezra Mors making demand of Satisfaction for the use of his house the last year to Keep the schoole in the the select men agreeed with him that he should receive of the Town fiveteen shilings in full Sattisfaction upon that account

March the 7th 1697–8 Att the Generall meeting of the freeholder & other Inhabitance of this Town of Dedham being assembled upon Dve warning & notis given them being the day appoynted to Choos Town Officer

It was put to the vote of the Town Whither thay will give to our Paster the Rd mr Joseph Bellcher a Salary of sixty pounds for this present year in money over and above suplying him with wood this was answared in the afirmative

It was also put to the Town Whither this sixty pounds shall be proportioned upon the Inhabitance of this Town excepting only such as the select men shall see Cause to releace this was answered in the afirmative It was further put to the Town Whither this sixty pounds above said Shall be proportioned upon persons and estates Pols at one shiling in the proportion of a single rate and broken lands at a halfe peny per acre medow and paster lands at a farthing per acre Oxen and horses at two pound each Cows at one pound ten shiiings a Cow sheep and swine proportionable thereunto and whither thay will leave it with the select men now to be Chosen to take bills of estates sumtime in June next and to proportion this assessment of sixty pounds for our pasters psalary abovesaid this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of Town whither thay will put in their proportions to our pastors Salary into the box upon the sabath dayes each one in a paper with their names written therein that the decon may Keep an account thereof and if any put inloos money without a paper it shall be Reckoned as free Contribution to our paster over and above their proportion to the Sixty pounds this was answered in the afirmative

Elections are as foloweth William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the select men for the year ensvinge Decon Joseph Wight Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Samvell Gay & Ensig^{n} Robert Avery Select men

(234) This seventh of March aforesaid Peter Woodward & Sarg^{t} Dan^{ll} Fisher were chosen Constables Imediatly thereupon Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher declared himselfe willing to Searve the Town therein if it ware the minde of the Town to put him upon it but he was not sattisfied that it was the minde of the Town therefore desiered the Town would Come to a new Choys and if it were there minds so to doe that thay would manifest it by the signe of holding up the hand whereupon the town did declare it to be their minds to Come to a new Choys and in their new Choys John Richards had the most Vots of any man Sarg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe Thomas Fisher John Fuller John Gay Survayers of Highways Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer

Nath Bullard Ens Boaz Browne Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Sam̃ Gay Jonath Fuller & John Smith tithing men

John Huntting Ens Robert Avery John Gay John Deane John Ellis John Fisher John Smith & John Rice fence vewers

Sam Everid Benj Onion Jno Fisher & Jno Smith Edward Cook & John Gill field drivers

The Towns busines being still depending this meeting of the Town was adjourned from this seventh of March above said to the fourteenth March the 14th 1697–8 the Town being assembled it was put to the vote of the Town whither thay will now Come to a new Choys of Constables this was answered in the negative

The Town taking in to their Consideration the work depending in runing the line between Dedham and Natick it being therefore put to the vote of the the Town whither the Commity Chosen to that work the Second of april 1697 shall Contineu in that service and have full power if they see good to new state the said line & so to make a full Ishue of the difarant apprehentions in that matter this was answered in the afirmative

it being put to the Town whither thay will grant a Rate of twenty six [6] pounds to defray town charges this was answered in the afirmative

Amos Fisher move to the Town to run the line between the Town and his land formerly granted to Ralph Wheelock and did propose to the Town in case thay would run a straight line from the way over the new cart bridge to said Amoses fence and leave him two acres in the whole of medow and vpland between said line and Charles River he would take it for the full of his right in said grant To which proposall the Town by their Vote answar in the afirmative and thereupon Chose Asahell Smith & John Deane to run said line in the Towns behalfe

The Town this day declare their minde is that the sealler of waits and measuers shall be alowed two days work in a year out of his highway work in full sattisfaction for his work in trying and sealing the waits and measuers belonging to our Town and the Cooper or him that shall be asistant to Said Sealer in mending waits and measuers shall have one dayes work allowed him out of his high way work in Sattisaction for his labor & time therein

(285) This fourteenth of March aforesaid severall persons declaring to the Town that thay had land layed out to them which was not yet Recorded therefore did make their adress to the Town to put them in a way to have their land Recorded it was therefore put to the vote of the Town whither in case such person doe make it appear by proofe to the select men that such land was layed out to him or them by Such as the Town & propriators did formerly appoynt thereunto with the place qvantaty bounds & abuttelments thereof with their right to take up such land in one or other of the former devidents granted to be layed out being so made to appear Said select men may give order to the Town Clerk to record the same in the book of Records of the grants of land made in Dedham this was answered in the afirmative

March 18 1697-8 Assembled Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Decon Joseph Wight Samvell Gay Ensi Robert Avery & W[m] Avery

Vpon Information that there is timber soled and Cared of our Common land towards the falls the select men have appoynted John Fuller & Dan[ll] Fisher to Indever to finde what it is & by whome it is done In order to the restraining thereof

march 28 1698 Vpon Dve nots given the freeholders and other Inhabitans qvalefied to act in Town afaiers met & then Chose Peter Woodward and Daniell Fisher Constables for this present year.

This 28 of march abovesaid Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Decon Joseph Wight and William Avery selectmen being met desired and deputed Samvell Everid and Jonathan Metcalfe a committy to Joyne with such others as are perticulerly Concerned in runing the line about the Church land lying towards Saw Mill

May 9th 1698 Assembled Samvell Gay, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Deacon Joseph Wight Ens Robert Avery & Wm Avery

Leut Samvell Gvild and Samvell Gay are Chosen to run the line and renew the markes in behalfe of our Town in the boundes between us and Wrentham and Mendon

also Joseph Colburn and Isaac Chinnory sen are chosen and deputed in the behalfe of Dedham to Joyne with such of Medfield as shall by them be deputed to that service in runing the line and renewing the mark in the bounds between our Town and Medfield

upon the motion of William Robins that the line between the church lot and his at saw mill might be run John Deane is deputed thereunto with Wm Avery

By vertve of aprecept received under the hand of the high shereff reqviering the same the free holders and other the Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham qvalified as is therein directed upon dve notis given them to that end met upon the ninth day of may above Said & then did Elect and deput Asahell Smith their Representative

The Town also this day Chose Sargt Daniell Fisher and John Smith an adition to the Commity formerly Chosen to run Natick line which Commity or any three of them are Impowered to state the line & to Indevour a full Ishve of all diferant aprehentions about the same and also to tak a Circumferance of our lands there to be layed out

(236) May 23 1698 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert Avery and William Avery select men

John Smith Come this day to the select men to hyer medow beloning to our Town towards Sudbery lying on the North side of Capt Toms hill on the South side of the Brook the which Medow we the select men abovesaid have let to John Smith for this present year for the wrent of which medow said John Smith is to pay six shilings for the use of the propriators

The select men being assembled this day to perfect the Town Rate

An assessment is made according to an act of the Town at their Generall meeting in March the 14 1697-8 to defray Town Charges wherein each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name as foloweth

to be payed in money or Corn at price according to Town order [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See introduction.*

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Jonathan Faierbank, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Eleazer Ellis, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Samvell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, James Makarwithe Juñ, Jonathan Whiting, James Falls, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva & Eleazer Clap, Capt Nath Stearns, Capt Jno Everid, Samvell Everid, Sarg^{t} Thomas & Thomas Jun Metcalfe. Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leu^{t} Sam^{ll} Gvild, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Vid Hannah Thorp, John Farington, Vigelence Fisher, John Huntting, Benjamin Onion, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Samvell Stearns, Ralph Freeman Señ, John Deane, John Ellis, Jonathan Metcalfe, James Maknab, Peter Thorp, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis. Daniell Alldis, Asahell Smith, John Richards. Boaz Browne, Joshva Fisher, Benj Colburn, Richard Trusdell, Samvell Holmes, John Alldis Juñ, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Josiah Cobet, Samvell Adams. The totall Sum amounts to 13—16—10

This first part of the Town Rate is Commited into the hand of Peter Woodward Constable to Colect

Robert Ware, Thomas Battele, Vid Ann Pond, Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, John Rice, John Eaton, Thomas Paine, Thomas Fuller, Vid & Michaell Metcalfe, Vid Hannah Alldridge, Ephram Ware, Benjamin Mills, John Smith, Jonath Dewing, John Paine, Eleazer Kingsbery, Samvell Alldridge, Thomas Ockinton, Nathanaell Gay, John Baker, Vid Mary Kingsbery, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Daniell Draper, Jonathan Gay, Andraw Dewing, Ebenezar Ware, John Fuller, Robert Avery, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Nathanaell Haws, Thomas Hall. Joseph Bullard, Joseph Haws, John Battelle, Joseph Wight, Samvell & Timo Gay, John Gay Juñ, Sarah Day, John Gay Señ, Daniell Wight, Nathanaell Richards, Ephram Wilson, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Jonathan Battele, (287) John Fisher, Joseph Colburn, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinory Jun, John Draper, Nathanaell Bullard, Samvell Ware, John Mason, William Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Nathanaell Chickring, John Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Andraw Wodkins, Joseph Daniells, Mathias Ockinton.

This later part of the Town Rate is Commited to Daniell Fisher Constable to Colect the totall sum whereof is erors exepted 13-11-11

June the 7: 1698 the propriators of the Common or undevided lands lying within the bounds of this Town of Dedham being met according to their appoyntment Febrvary the first 1697-8 the Commity Chosen on Said first of febrvary viz Leu^{t} John Ware, Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild and Samvell Gay present on account of the land which thay had taken a Circumferance of lying westerly from Wrentham & Easterly from Mendon for the Severalll

tracts or persells the whole whereof amounts too About two thousand and one hundred acres the propriators having agreed to devid said land by lot every one to take his proportion therein as it shall fall to him by lot have also agreed to Joyne together in drawing their lots So that each lot may Containe about one hundred acres

Jacob Bartlat did this day move to the propriators for liberty to take up his proportion in this Devident in the place where he has Sat down & made Sum Improvement this was voted in the affrmative provided convenient highways be reserved

Samvell Bartlat did also moueed to the propriators for liberty to take up his proportion of Said devident in the place which he had pitched upon this also was voted in the afirmative

Nicolas Cook likewis moved to the propriators for liberty to take up about fourty acres of land in part of his proportion to Said devident neer his own land not taken into the circumferance this like was voted in the afirmative

It being put to the propriators whither thay will Grant land to make a Just recompence to the Comity for their Service in vewing taking a Circumferance and runing the lines & drawing plats of the said land this was answared in the afirmative

the Commity viz Leu[t] John Ware Leu[t] Samvell Gvild and Samvell Gay propo—to the propriators for one hundred acres of land in full Satisfaction for their Service lying upon Peters River the last hundred acres in the devident taken into the Circumferance this was Granted being Voted in the afirmative

William Robins of saw mill did this day move to the propriators to send men to run the line between his lot purchesed of Thomas Clap and the Common land the propriator by vot declare thay leve the care of that Concerne with the Select men

also the propriators this 7th of June above said Chose & deputed Nathanaell Bullard and John Smith to let out their Medows towards Sudbery for this present year and did appoynt to meet againe upon the 13th of this Instant

Vpon Information of aman named Isaac Whitecur Coming into our Town that may be like to be a charge to the Town the select men being together desired and deputed Samvell Gay & John Ellis to give him notis to depart out of the Town

June 13 1698 The propriators beingmet according to their appoyntment at their meeting the 7th of June Instant

It being proposed to these propriators who thay will put in trust to set out the land Granted to Nicolas Cooke to Samvell Barttlat & Jacob Barttlat and such other of the propriators as there shall be Ocation for

Vpon Consideration & short debate the propriators by their Vote declared that they deput and Intrust Leu^{t} John Ware to set out to the said propriato— each one his proportion as there is Ocation in this Devident above said lying Westerly from Wrentham and Easterly from Mendon

(288) July i 1698 Assembled Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Deacon Joseph Wight Samvell Gay Robert Avery & Wm Avery Select men

The propriators of the dead swampe making appear to the select men that Said Swampe was Granted and Sold to them and the Recording thereof having been Neglected Said Select men have this day given order to the Town Clerk to enter the Same in the Booke of Grants

Also Jonathan Metcalfe making appear to the select men that twenty one acres of land layed out to him is neglected to be recorded they have Likewise given order for the entering & Recording of the Same

likewise James Maknab Seven acres of land is alike ordered to be Recorded

Said select men this day give order that John Deane shall have abill to Receive of the Constable twelve shilings on account of his service at Netick July the 8 the selectmen being met to proportion our Pasters salary according to the act of the Town the seventh of march last

This day the desier of John Metcalfe of Medfield was presented to the select men to have his land recorded being three lots which he purchased in the devident neer Medfield viz the lot of Nathaniell Fisher the lot of Samvell Gay & the lot of Thomas Fisher the right of said lots being made to appear by the Record of the draft & number of said lots when they were drawn and also by the bounds & Abuttlements of other lots upon them which are allready Recorded the right being So made to appear as also by the plats of said lots left under Leu^{t} Joshva Fishers hand the select men there upon gave order that thay shall be entered in the book of Records

Mr John Fox is agreed with to Keep the Schoole & began that work the 29 of august & to receive 25 lb & Keep him a hors

Asahell Smith & John Deane make returne that upon the second day of April 1698 thay run the line between the Town and land of Amos Fisher a straight line from said Amoses fence to the Highway at the Cart bridge leaving two acres in the whole of upland and medow between Charles River on the North and and said line on the south and sd Amoses fence on the East and the high way abovesaid on the west

August 9 1698 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert Avery & William Avery Select men

To proportion the Country Rate by vertve of a warrant Reieved from the Treasurer Requiring the same

by vertve of of an act of the great and generall Court have nominated and Chose Peter Woodward and Daniell Fisher Colecters to gather in the arrear of the publick rates

October 12 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert Avery & William Avery selectmen To make the Country Rate

Upon Information that the men deputed to run the line between Dedham and Medfield have not gon through that work have thereupon Chosen Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery and Joseph Colburn to Indevour to goe through the work in Cleering up the line

November 9 Assembled at the meeting house after Lecture Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert Avery and William Avery and then ordered abill to be granted to John Ellis to receive twenty shilings for the plat of our Town land on the North side of Charles River

November 28 Assembled Eleazer Kingsbery Samvell Gay Joseph Wight Robert Avery & William Avery To make the schoole Rate

(239) November the 28 1698 An assessment made for the maintenance of the schoole wherein Each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their names as foloweth to be payed in money [*Table follows with following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Deacon Thomas Metcalfe & Thomas Metcalfe Jun, Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild, Peter Woodward, Jonathan Faierbank William Avery, Joseph Faierbank, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Eleazer Ellis, Thomas Hering, Nathanell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Samvell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, James Makerwithe sen, Jonathan Whiting, James Falls señ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva & Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Samvell Stearns, CaptJohn Everit, John Deane, John Ellis, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Ralph Freeman Señ, John Alldis Juñ, Peter Thorp, Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Jonathan Fuller, Nathanell Farington, William Makintosh, Vido Hannah Thorpe ,John Farinton, Vigelence Fisher, John Huntting Señ, Benjamin Onion, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Aldio, Asahell Smith, Boaz Browne, John Richards, Benjamin Colburn, Samvell Holms,Joshva Fisher, Richard Trusdell, John Huntting Juñ, Samvell Adams, Josiah Cobet, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Joseph Smith.

This first part of the schoole Rate belonging to Peter Woodward Constable to Colect the totall sum thereof is six pounds six shilings & two pence erors exepted 6–1–2

to mr fox 6–2–6

Robert Ware, Thomas Battele, Vid Anna Pond, Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, John Rice, John Eaton, Thomas Paine, Thomas Fuller,

Michall Metcalfe, Vid Hannah Allridg, Ephram Wilson, Ephram Ware, Benjamin Mills, John Smith, Jonathan Deuing, John Paine, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery, Samvell Alldridg, Thomas Ockinton, Nathaniell Gay, John Baker, Vid Mary Kingsbery, Nathaniel Kingsbery, Daniell Draper, Jonathan Gay, Andraw Dewing, Ebenezar Ware, John Fuller, Robert Avery, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Hall, Joseph Bullard, Joseph Haws, John Battele, Joseph Wight, Samvell & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, (240) Vid Sarah Day, John Gay señ, Daniell Wight, Nathanell Richards, John Bacon, Amos Fisher, Jonathan Battele, John Fisher, Joseph Colburn, Isaac Chinnory señ, John Draper, Nathanell Bullard, Samvell Ware, John Mason, William Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, John Woodcock, Andraw Wodkins, Mathias Ockinton, Nathanell Chickring, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, Joseph Daniells, Joseph Ellis señ.

This later part of the schoole Rate belonging to Daniell Fisher Constable to Colect the total sum thereof is six pounds thirteen shilings and a peny erors excepted 6–13–1

to mr fox 6–05–0

January 4 1698-9 Assembled after lecture Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight and William Avery select men

Then Chose and deputed Nath Gay John Fuller and John Smith a Commity to lay out a high way from the Town to the lower falls & to agree with & alow resonable Sattisfaction to such perticuler persons through whose land the way must most neseserely & Conveniently be layed through

Janvary 11 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Robert Avery Joseph Wight & Wm Avery

John Battely making it apper that Leut Ellis had layed out to him two acres of land by his land & the pine Swamp & the great Brooke also with his Right to take it up the Select men this day give order to the clark to enter it in the Book of Records

The Select men also give order to the clark to writt an order to the Constables to give notis of a meeting of the propriators to be the thirty first of this Instant

Janvary 17 1698-9 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert & Wm Avery

This day Reckoned with Thomas Fuller Constable for the Town Rate Commited into said Constables hand to Colect & there remains Dve to the Town ten pounds four shilings twenty shilings of this is payed to Joh Woodcock 10–04–00

this Day was entred in Crtificat to the treasurer five wolves head & three whelps one of John Draper of Joshva mors Timothy Clark two wolves Joseph Colburn two wolves & three whelps of Peter Woodwards from Joseph Fuller of new town

This day Eleazer Kingsbery desiered the select men to give order for the Recording land layed out to him by Leu^{t} Richard Ellis the quantaty bounds & abuttlements thereof being presented to the Select—— under the hand of Said Ellis they give to the Town clark order to enter the same in the book of Grants

also Nathaniell Chickring making profe of the land layed out to his father the select men give order for the entring thereof likewise

(241) Janvary 25 1698-9 Assembled Samvell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Wight Robert & William Avery Selectmen To finish the Country Rate

This day Asahell Smith did make it appear to the selectmen that there was three acres and three Roods of land layed out upon the account of rights which he had purchesed of Eleazer Kingsbery by exchang thereupon the Said Select men gave order to the town clark to entre the Same to Said Asahell in the Book of grants

also Robert Avery making proofe of seven acres layed out to him on account of his rights Said selectmen gave order for the entreing the Same likewise

Janvary 31 1698-9 Att a Generall meeting of the propriators of the Common or undevided lands within the bounds of this Town of Dedham

Vpon triall it was found that the Major part of propriaty was presem— in Said meeting

A motion was made by Mr James Emmary in the behalph of the Heyers of John Pigg Decesed for seven acres of land the rights for taking up the Same was purchesed of leu^{t} Joshva Fisher being a part of Said Joshva Fishers rights in Natick devident It was put to the propriators whither thay will leave it to the Select men to make Serch whither there is yet Dve Seven acres from the propriators on account of leu^{t} Fisher Natick devident & in case thay find it Dve that thay shall give order for the laying it out to the heyers of said John Pigg to their resonable Sattisfaction this was Answered by the Vote of the propriators in the affirmative

also Thoms Payne moved to the propriators for swamp granted to his father Thomas Payne not yet layed out the propriators leave the ceare there of with the Select men that in case thay find it yet Due to give order for the laying out the Same this also was manifest by the Vote of the propriators in the affirmative

Ephram Wilson also moved to the propriators for Sattisfaction for the damage done him by the cartway leading over the new bridg through his land The propriators thereupon Chose Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher & Deacon Joseph Wight a Commity to tender & give a Just Sattisfaction to said Ephram Wilson upon that account declared by vote in the afirmative

The propriators likewise Chose Nathaniell Bullard Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher & John Deane a Commite to goe to the Leu^{t} Gouerner & to Indevour the full Settlement of Natick lines

This Day the Commity Chosen to tak a Curcumferance of their Common lands towards Sudbery & Watertown yet to be layed out make their returne to the propriators that thay have vewed & taken Circumferance of about three thousand and four hundred acres of land the propriator doe agree and by there vote declare there mind is that said land shall be layed out by lot and to draw their lots by a hundred acres in a lot

also the propriator doe agree & by there vote in the afirmative declar that the Commity to be Chosen to lay out Said land shall have power to ade to Such lands as are not good So much as to make it good by qvantaty what it wants of goodness in qvalety that as neer as may be there may be an eqvaiity the propriators Chose John Deane Suruaier & Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher Jonathan Gay and John Smith their Commity to lay out this three thousand & four hundred acres by the rule above expresed this was voted in the afirmative

(242) This 31 of Janvary before said att the Generall meeting of the propriators Ebenezer Bracket mouing to the propriator to sell him five pounds worth of land neer to his Brother Joseph Ellises land upon Rock medow plaine

It being put to the vote whither they will answer his desier in Seling him five pounds worth of land as it shall be estemated by a Commity to be Chosen to that Service this was answered by vote of the propriators in the afirmative & accordingly Chose Mr Timothy Dwight & Searg^{t} Daniell Fisher & Sam Gay to atend that service to lay out and estemate Said land Ralph Freeman Juñ also moveed to the propriators to give him about Seven acres of land neer Dorchestes line abutting on the Country Road neer the wolfe pitt this was answered by vote in the afirmative

James Makerwithe Juñ also did desier the propriators this day to give him a small percell of Vpland & swamp Joyning to his own land west in part and the Clavebordtree line in part west upon Ezra Mors East and south east and upon the Saw mill Pond and Brook North & North east and upon the Brook Comeing out of the Dead swamp North with the reserve of a Convenient paseg to the uper dame of Ezra Morses Saw mill this was voted in the afirmative the Commity Chosen to lay out this land to Ralph Freeman & James Makerwithe are Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild and Jonathan Metcalfe

The Commite Imployed by the propriators to take a circumferance of their land towerds Sudbery & Watertown move for Sattisfaction for that work the propriators by their vote declare thier minde is that the money to be Received of Ebenezer Bracket for the land to be Sould to him shall be Improved to answar that Charge

February 13 1698-9 Assembled Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Deacon Joseph Wight Ens Robert Avery & Wm Avery

This day Reckoned with Joseph Faierbank Constable for the Town Rate Commited into Said Constables hand to Colect & there remains Dve to the Town on account of Said Rate three pounds fourteen shilings and two pence 03–14–2

February 27 1698-9 Assembled Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Deacon Joseph Wight Ensign Robert Avery & Wm Avery

March 6 1698-9 The Inhabitance & propriators being assembled vpon dve notis given being the day appoynted for their Generall meeting to Choos Town Officers

It was put to this Town of Dedham Whither thay will give to our Pastor the Reu^{d} Mr Joseph Belcher a psalary of sixty pounds in money for this present year this was voted & granted in the afirmative

It was likewise put to the Town whither pols shall be set at three shilings a pol all above the agee of sixteen years in this assessment of sixty pounds to our pasters salary this was answered by vote in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the Town whither the remainder of this sixty pound abovesaid shall be raised upon estates reall & parsonall this was answered in the afirmative

It was put to the Town whither thay will leave it to the select men now to be Chosen to proportion Said Salary and to take bills sum time in May next to proportion it by this was answered by Vote in the afirmative

It was put to the vote of the Town whither in case any refuse or neglect to give a bills of their estate or in case the select men find thay doe not give a trve bill that then thay shall be doomed this was answered by vote in the afirmative

(243) *Such as have liberty to pay their proportion of the Salary out of Town* This first day of March aforesaid it was further put to the Town whither all the Inhabitance of this Town of Dedham shall be proportioned by the rules here in before expresed and such as live most Convenient to attend the publick worship at sum other place thay shall pay their proportions at such place where thay attend upon publick worship to such as are the proper receivers there of and bring under their hand that thay have seasonably payed in the Same or in Case any refuse or neglect so to doe that then their full proportions shall be demanded and recovered for the use of our Town this was Voted in the afirmative

It was also put to the Town whither those persons appoynted to proportion our pastors salary shall also proportion each persons qvantity of wood to be carried into our paster for his fiar this was voted in the afirmative

Elections of Town Officers are as foloweth

William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the select men for the year ensuing Leu^{t} Samuell Gvild Town Treasurer

Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & Jonathan Metcalfe Selectmen

Capt^{t} John Everit & Barakiah Lewis Constables

Deacon Tho Metcalfe Thomas Fisher Thomas Fuller Samvell Gay Joseph Colburn Thomas Clap John Gay Señ & John Smith Survaiers of Highways

Deacon Joseph Wight Nath Richards John Huntting Jonathan Metcalfe Joseph Faierbank John Smith John Rice William Robins Joseph Hartshorn fence Vewers

Samvell Everit Jonathan Dewing Josepn Daniels Eleazer Fisher Peter Falls field drivers

Nathaniell Bullard Ensig Boaz Browne Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Samvell Gay Jonathan Fuller John Smith Tithing men

the men above named are Chosen to those respetive offices offices for the year Insuing

Vpon the desier of Thomas Battele that the way reserved to his and other lands toward Netick through land of John Bacon & other lands may by laid open to the Towns use and such as have ocation to their lans there this was Granted in the afirmative prouided that thay which have their fields in Closed upon the Said way shall have liberty till the first of march 1699 one thousand seven hundred for the fencing & Securing their fields

(244) Vpon this sixth day of march aforesaid Thomas Hering make Complaint that he is debared of away to his land at Neponsat plaine the Town by their Vote declare their mind is that Said Thomas shall Inioy a way to his land as formerly

The Town and propriator by Generall Consent appoynt the thirteenth day of this Instant march a day for their meeting at the house of Joshva Fisher at nine of the clock in the forenoone to attend their further business of publick Consernment tais was declared by Vote in the afirmative

Dedham March the 13: 1698-9 Att a Generall meeting of the Inhabitance and propriator according to their appoyment at their last meeting on the six of march

It being put to the Town whither thay will Grant an assessment of twenty four pounds in money to be raised for the maintainance of the schoole and payment of the present schoole master this was answered by Vote in the afirmative

It being put to the Town whither thay will grant an assessment of twenty six pounds to defray Town Charges this was answered by Vote in the afirmative

It was also put to the Town whither thay will give ten shilings to every person being an Inhabitante in our Town that shall Kill a grown Wolfe for their Incuredgment ouer & above the twenty shilings which is given by law this was answered by Vote in the afirmative this act to Stand good till such time as the town see Case to altter it

It was likewise put to the Town whither the Town rate and schoole rate shall be made by the Same rules agreed upon to proportion our Pastors Salary by this present year this was answered by vote in the afirmative

It was put to the Town whither thay put the land granted for the benifit of a schoole upon Sale for money to be improved for the benifit of the schoole this was answered in the affirmative

It was also put to the propriators whither in case any propriator be unsattisfied at the Sale of Said land he or thy shall have liberty to take up the quantity of theif proportion therein in the other land yet to be layed out on the North side of Sherborn Rode provided thay appear to take it before Said land be layed out this was answered in the afirmative

It was put to the Town whither thay will Choos a Commity of three men to make Sale of Said schoole farme and give deed of Convaiance & receive the money for it in the behalfe of the Town to be delivered by the Said Commity to Such as the Town shall appoynt to Receive Said money that it may be Improved wholy for the benifit of a schoole in Dedham towards the maintinance thereof this was answered in the afirmative the Commity Chosen thereunto are Sargt Daniell Fisher John Baker and Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery

(245) This thirteenth of March abovesaid the Town Chose Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher and William Avery a Commity to look into & Search the Records and to Indevour to finde out whither any have taken up more than their dve proportion of land in the late devidents amounting to five acres and a halfe to one Cow Common Right and also to Indeviour to find out who thay be that have not yet taken their dve proportions

Vpon the desier of Ezra Mors the Town and propriators Chos Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Samvell Gay and Asahell Smith a commity to vew the mill streame at Said Ezras mill and to bring report to the Town att their next meeting whither thay find reson to Incurege the Town to be at sum charge that Said mill may be removed to let down the water for the benifit of our medows and other mills

Vpon the desier of John Woodcock the Town order that he shall receive twenty shilings of the Town for his paynes with Peter Wodkins in the time or his sikness

also the Town aloued six shiling to be paid to John Deane for his labour to find out the line of the Church lot at saw mill also to Jonathan Metcalfe five shilings & Wm Avery five shilings on the Same account for their time and

labour expended at the Same time also the Town have left the the further searching out and renewing the markes in the line about the Church lot to Jonathan Metcalfe and William Avery

March the 29th 1699 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Jonathan Metcalfe & William Avery Selectmen

And did then Choos Capt John Everit & Isaac Chinnory Senior to Joyne with Such of Medfield as shall be deputed thereunto in clearing up & Ishving of the difrant about the line between Medfield and Dedham

having also Recived an order from the Select men of Watertown to send men to run the line between us have accordingly chosen and deputed John Smith and John Paine to atend that Service in behalfe of our Town

also John Smith and John Paine are appoynted to give notis to Sam Aldridg not to entertaine the person in his house which thay have order to warne to depart out of the Town

Dedham May 15 1699 By vertve of aprecept received reqviring the same the freeholders and other Inhabitants of this town qvalified as is therein reqvired upon dve notis and warning given them assembled and did elect and deput Sargt Fisher their Representative to serve for and represent them in a great and generall court or assembly appoynted to be convened held and Kept for his Majesties Service at the Town house in Boston upon wednesday the thirty first of may next

also upon dve notis given them the propriators of this Town being meet upon the fifteenth of may above said the Commity Chosen to vew the mill streame viz Leut Samvell Gvild Samvell Gay & Asahell Smith making their return to the Town that thay apprehend it may be benifishall to our medows and the other mills to have Ezra Morses mill let fall & to let the water run in its anchant naterall corss where upon it was put to the propriator whither they will give to Said Ezra Mors forty acres of land neer Naponsat River at the old Saw mill or at Everits plaine where he may find it most to his Sattisfaction for his Incuredment to let fall his mill provided the Town may be other wise provided with a mill to their Sattisfaction this was granted by a full vote of the propriators present at Said meeting

(246) May the 20 1699 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher Jonath Metcalfe & Wm Avery To proprotion our pastors Salary and make the Town Rate and schoole Rate

An assessment made by us whose names are here unto subscribed to be payed in money for the maintinance of the schoole according to an act of the Town at their Generall meeting March the thirteenth 1698-9 wherein each persons proportion is prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows with following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Jonathan Faierbank, Capt Nathaniell Stearns, Capt John Everit, Samvell Bullard,

Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, Joseph Ellis Jun, Eleazer Ellis, Thomas Hering, Nathaniell Colburn, John Colburn, Fzra Mors, Samvell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, James Maknab, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Samvell Everit, Samvell Stearns, Deacon Thomas Metcalfe and Thomas Metcalfe Juner, Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild, Eleazer Fisher, William Makintosh, Nathaniell Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington, Jonathan Whiting, Ralph Freeman Sen, Jonathan Fuller, James Falles Señ, John Ellis, William Bullard, John Deane, John Haws, William Robins, Benjamin Colburn, Boaz Browne, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Larance, Asahell Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Jun, Joseph Smith, Samvell & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, Samvell Thorp, Josiah Cobet.

James Emmery, James Falles Juñ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn.

Reckoned with Capt John Everit Constable on account of this schoole rate this 24 day of febr 1700-1 and there is dve from said Constable eight shilings & three pence 8^{s}–3^{d}

This first part of the Schoole rate being in the hand of Capt John Everit to colect the totall sum thereof is 06^{lb} 04^{s} 10^{d}

Sarg^{t}. Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathaniell Richard, John Smith, Nathaniell Gay, Comfort Starr, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, Benjamin Onion, John Battelle, John Paine, John Gay Señ, Ensig Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonathan Battele, Nathaniell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jonathan Gay, Nathaniell Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, John Hunting Señ, John Hunting Juñ, (247) John Baker, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Bullard, John Draper, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Hannah Aldridge, Thomas Paine, Daniell Wight, Michall Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Sarah Day, Mary Kingsbery, Anna Pond, Jona Dewing, Nathaniell Haws, Joseph Colburn, Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, Ebenez Braket, John Fisher, Josiah Newel, Marcy Colburn, Caleb Pond, Lidia & Nathan Chickring, Mathias Ockinton, Jerem Woodcock, Sam Bacon, Joseph Daniell, Andraw Wadkins, John Parker, Sam Adams, Isaac Chinory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, John Mason, Daniell Draper, Jabish Pond.

This later part of the Schoole rate being in the hand of Barakiah Lewis to Colect the Totall Sum thereof errors exepted is 6^{lb}—15^{s}—01^{d}

paid to mr fox 6—15—00

Town tax to be paid in or as money An assessment made to be payed in or as money for the defraying town debts and Charges according to an act of the Town at their Generall meeting march the thirteenth 1698-9 wherin each persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Aldis, Peter Woodward, Jonath Faierbank, Capt Nathaniel Stearns, Capt John Everit, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Eleazer Ellis, Thomas Hering, Nathan^{ll} Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Samvell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, James Maknab, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Samvell Stearns, Samvell Everit, Deacon Thomas Metcalfe and Tho Metcalfe Juñ, Eleazer Fisher, Lev^{t} Samvell Gvild, William Makintosh, Nathan^{ll} Farington, Peter Thorp, Jno Farington, Jonath Fuller, Jonath Whiting, Ralph Freeman Sen, John Ellis, William Bullard, John Deane, John Haws, William Robins, Benj. Colburn, Boaz Browne, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Larance, Asahell Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonath Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Jun, Joseph Smith, Samvell Gay & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, Samvell Thorp, Josiah Cobet, James Emory, James Falls Juñ, Joseph Hartshorn, James Fails Señ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap.

This first part of the Town rate being in the hand of Capt John Everit Constable to Colect the totall sum thereof is 12^{lb} 03^{s} 09^{d}

Dan^{ll} Fisher, Joseph Wight, Nath Richards, John Smith, Nathan^{ll} Gay, Comfort Starr, Tho Fisher, Ebenez^{er} Ware, Benjamin Onion, John Battele, John Paine, John Gay Señ, Robert Avery, Benjmin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonath Battele, Nathan^{ll} Bullard, Ephr Wilson, (248) Jonathan Gay, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Jun, Joseph Ellis Sen, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Bullard, John Draper, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Jabish Pond, Hannah Aldridg, Thomas Paine,[1] Daniell Wight, Michell Metcalfe, Tho Fuller, John Rice, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Sarah Day, Mary Kingsbery, Anna Pond, Jonathan Dewing, Nathan[1], Haws, Joseph Colburn, Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, Ebenezer Braket, John Fisher, Hannah Fuller, Josiah Newell, Marcy Colburn, Caleb Pond, Lidia & Nathaniell Chickring, Mathias Ockinton, Jere Woodcock, Joseph Daniells, Andra Wodkins, John Parker, Sam Adams, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Juñ, John Mason, Daniell Draper, Samvell Bacon.

This later part part of the Town rate being in the hand of Barakiah Lewis Constable to Colect the totall Sum thereof is 13^{lb}—10^{s}—02^{d}

August the 8 : 1699 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & William Avery To peruse the lists of arrears of former Rates Committed into the hand of Peter Woodward & Daniell Fisher late Constables to Colect and have accordingly Rectified Such errors as we have found therein as the law directs

August the 18 : 1690 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbe— Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Jonathan Metcalfe and William Avery

To make an assessment of thirty five pounds five shilings by vertve of a warrant Received from the Cuntry Treasurer persvent to an act of the great and General Court Said warrant baring date the twenty fourth of July 1699

Jonathan Gay did this day make appear to the Select that there was formerly layed out to him five acres of land not yet entred in the Book of Grants where upon the Select men gave order for the entering the Same with the bounds & buttlements now given in

Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Guild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Jonathan Metcalfe & Wm Avery

To make a Country rate of eleven pounds

Reckoned with Joseph Faierbank late Constable one account of the Town rate for three pounds fourteen shilings and two pence dve upon former Reckning and there remains dve to the Town nine shilings & eleven pence

9—11

To John Deane & Jonathan Metcalfe ware appoynted to lay out a highway from the Country Road neer the ridg hill by Jonathan Metcalfes barn towards the Town into the way leading from the Country Road by the house of John Deane to the town

(249) June the 21 : 1699 The propriators of the Common or undevided land lying within this Town of Dedham in the devident agreed upon to be layed out towards Sudbery Watertown and Netick being met after lecture to draw their lots agree to draw Said lots by two hundred acres in a lot exepting one od hundred which they agree to reckon as one lot being the Seventeenth lot. the other sixteen lots containing two hundred acres in each lot So that the whole of Said devident is proportioned in to the number of seventeen lots which are dawn as foloweth [Rest of this page blank. Ed.]

(250) Dedham November the 17th 1699 An asessment made of eleven pounds by vertve of a warrant Received from the Court of Generall Sessions of the peace for this County of Suffolk Reqviring the Same. to be payed in money for the defraing of County Charges wherin each perticuler persons proportion thereto is as foloweth [*Table follows, containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Aldis, Deacon Tho Metcalfe & Tho Metcalfe Jun, Peter Woodward, Jonath Faierbank, Samuell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Eleazer Ellis, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Samvell Whiting, Timothy Whiting, James Maknab. James Makerwithe Sen, James Makerwithe Jun, Capt Nath Stearns, Capt John Everit, Samvell Everit, Samvell Stearns, Eleazer Fisher, Josiah Fisher, Leu^{t} Sam^{ll} Gvild, Willi^{m} Makintosh. Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington. Jonath Whiting, James Falls Señ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph

Hartshorn, Jonath Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, John Haws, Jonath Metcalfe, Benjamin Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahell Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Joseph Smith, Sam^{ll} & Timō Gay, John Gay Juñ, William Bullard, Sam Thorp Josiah Cobet.

This first part of the Country Rate is Committed into the hand of John Everit Constable to Colect the totall Sum is five pounds 5—4—4

Deacon Joseph Wight, Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher, Nathanell Richards, Nathanell Gay, John Smith, John Smith Señ, Comfort Starr, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezar Ware, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Juñ, John Battele, John Paine, Ensigne Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonath Battele, Nathanell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jonathan Gay, Nathan^{ll} Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John Eaton, Lidia & Nath Chickring, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Barakiah Lewis, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Hannah Aldridg, Thomas Paine, Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Eliz & Mich Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Sarah Day, Mary & James Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Marcy Colburn, Joseph Colburn, Anna Pond, Samvell Aldridg, Daniell Draper, Joseph Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Samvell Bacon, Jabez Pond, John Parker, Joseph Daniels, John Mason, Mathias Ockinton, Daniell Larance, Andraw Wodkins, Ebenezar Braket, Josiah Newell.

This latter part of the Country rate is Committed in to the hand of Barakiah Lewis Constable to Colect the totall Sum is Six pounds 6—0—0
6—5—5

(251) Recev^{d} of John Aldis Thomas Metcalfe, William Avery and Joseph Wight Deacons of the Chh of Dedham the Summe of Sixty pounds wch Is the whole of my Sallary from the first of March 1697-8 to the first of March 1698-9 one year, I Say Recev^{d} 60—00—00

Dedham 9th Jan : 169$\frac{9}{100}$ By me Joseph Belcher

Jan 10 1$\frac{699}{700}$ John Deane and Jonathan Metcalfe make their return that they have layed out a highway according as they were deputed thereunto from the Country Road neer Jonathan Metcalfes Barn of two rods wide as it is bounded by marked trees stakes & heaps of Stones into the way from John Deanes both leading towards the Town

Janvary 17th 1$\frac{699}{700}$ Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Jonathan Metcalfe Wm Avery

This day Mr Timothy Dwight making it appear to the select men that he had land layed out to him not Recorded doe there upon give order that it be entered in the Booke of Records

Reckoned this day with Sarg^{t} Daniell Fisher on account of the Town Rate and there remains dve to the Town ten shilings 10^{s}—0

february 26 1$\frac{699}{700}$ Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher Jonathan Metcalfe and William Avery Selectmen

Reckoned with Barakiah Lewis Constable for the Town Rate Commited into Said Constables hand & there remains Dve to the Town on account of Said rate three pounds fifteen shilings and six pence 03—15—06

this three pounds 15 6 Reckoned & payed by Barakiah Lewis the 26 day of february 1701-2

Reckoned with Peter Woodward lat Constable for the Town rate Commited in to Said Constables hand and there is dve to the Town on account of Said rate three pounds nineteen shilings and Six pence 3—19—6

the 26 day of febrvary & remains Dve 3—5—3 fourteen whereof is payed to Wm Avery Six shilli payd to Sam Whitting

March 4th 1$\frac{699}{700}$ The freeholder Inhabitants and propriators of this Town of Dedham being Assembled upon dve nots given it being the day appoynted for the Choosing of Town Officers. Their generall Town meeting

It was this day put to the Vote of the Town whither they will give to our Paster the R^{d} Mr Joseph Belcher sixty pounds in money by the year every year for his yearly Salary this is answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the Town whither they will give to our R^{d} Paster abouesaid ten pounds in money to provide himselfe with wood for his fier in the Roome of the ten pounds worth of wood formerly promised allways reserving liberty for Such as Choos to pay their proportions of Said ten pounds in wood. from the first munday in march to the first of may next folowing yearly to agree with the Deacons to pay wood so as may be to Mr Belcher Sattisfaction and this ten pounds to be proportioned with with the sixty pounds of the yearly Salary and this to continew yearly every year till Such time as the Town shall agree rather to pay wood then money this also was answered in the afirmative

further it was put to the Town whither the Select men to be Chosen from time to time shall proportion Said Salary this was answered in the afirmative

(252) Att Said generall meeting of the Town and propriator aforesaid this fourth of march 1$\frac{699}{700}$ It was put to the Vote of the Town whither bills of estats shall be taken same time in may yearly to proportion Said Salary by and pols to be Set at three shilings apol in sixty pounds and other estat to be asessed by the rule of the Country rate this was answered in the afirmative

Elections of Town Officers are as foloweth William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the Select men for the year ensuing

Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samuell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Selectmen Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Town treasurer

Deacon Thomas Metcalfe Samvell Gay Nathanell Richards Amos Fisher John Deane John Woodcock Joseph Colburn John Rice Thomas Clap Survaiers of Highways

John Baker & John Richards Constables

Samvell Everit Thomas Hall William Makintosh Peter Falls Caleb Pond field Drivers

Deacon Joseph Wight John Huntting Señ Nathanell Richards Jonathan Metcalfe Joseph Faierbank John Smith John Rice William Robins Joseph Hartshorn fence vewers

Nathanell Bullard Ensigne Boaz Browne Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Samvell Gay Jonathan Fuller John Smith Tithing men

It was put to the propriators whither they will Choos a Commity to Indevour to find out our Westerly bounds on the North side of Charles River and to agree with the Indians if they can upon reasonable tearmes & in Case they Cannot agree to appear at Court and Indevour to defend our title this was answered in the Afirmative

The propriators accordingly Chose Capt Daniell Fisher John Baker John Deane John Smith & Jonathan Gay to attend and performe said work or any three of Said Commity

This fourth of March abovesaid the propriators doe finde entred in our Book of grants by John Fuller while he was recorder two peeces of land to his father the one expresed as foloweth granted to Thomas Fuller Señ his heyers & Sucksesor forever one percell of Rocky land neer Thomas Aldridges House Abutting vpon the land of the Said Thomas towards the South East the High way and the way from Michaell Metcalfs on all other parts this grant not being expresed the qvantity naither by acors Roods nor Rods therefore Contrary to the Rule of devision and unjustly entered into the Booke of grants it was therefore put to the propriator whither their minde be that this grant above expresed shall be made voyd and of no force nor efect and the land shall be & remaine in Common to the propriators it being put to the propriators they answer by their vote in the afirmative

(253) Vpon a motion made by Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery for the land herein before last expresed to take it up upon devident account the propriators Chose John Baker and Asahell Smith a Commity to lay out Said land to him & upon their making their return of the qvantity and abuttlements gave order for the entering thereof to Said Eleazer Kingsbery: Vpon the comityes return march the 5th it is entered as foloweth

Granted to Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery and to his Heyers and assignes forever one small percell of land Containing three qvarter of an acre and ten

Rods more or less neer to the House formerly Thomas Aldridges and abutts upon the land that was formerly John Kingsberyes towards the South East the High way that leadeth from the cart bridge towards the broad medow and the way from the clay pits into the fore mentioned way on all other parts it being neer a three Sqvare 1$\frac{699}{700}$ This is trancescribed into the Booke of grants page 168 section the 7th

Mrch the 11 1$\frac{699}{700}$ Att a generall Meeting of the Town and apropritors of Dedham according to their appoyntment at their generall meeting the fourth of march last above Said

It was proposed to the Town whither they will Choos a Commity to take care of the repairing of the meeting house & to Imploy worke men to doe it at the Towns Charge and to make such alltration of the Seats in the lower part of the meeting house as they may find most Convenient & best to make roome for the Congregation. and also to repayer the outsides Covering and the platform above this was answared by vote in the afirmative

the Town accordingly Chose Deacon Thomas Metcalfe Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild John Baker Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery & Asahel Smith their Commity to performe Said work in the Towns behalfe

Our friends & naighbours in Roxbery which live a Jasent to our Town and doe ordeneryly atend the publick worship of god with us did this Day Send men which did declare that they were agreed and ware willing to be at proportionable eqvall Charge with us in repairing and enlarging our meeting house as there is or shall be Ocation provided they may have liberty and Convenience in our meeting house to atend the publick worship with us .

The Town by their vote declare that they exept their propher to be at Charge with us and that they are welcome to our meeting house to atend the publick worship with us

John Parker did this day move to the propriators to give him a small percell of Rocky woodland ajoyning to his own land it being put to the propriators whither they will give Said John Parker the woodland abovesaid they answer by vote in the afirmative that they give him to the qvantity of three acres not exeding four

also John Gill move for a small percell of land Joyning to his land the propriators by their vote give him two acres not exeeding three

Leut Samvell Gvild did move to purches apercel of pore land Joyning to his own land at raged plaine where he is about to build for his Son of about twelve acres the propriators declare by thelr vote that they give Said twelve acres to leu^{t} Samvell Gvild

The town by their Vote declar likewise that they give to John Metcalfe for his Encuredgement to Set up his trade of atanner in this town ten or twelve acres of land Joyning to the northerly end of his fathers house lot

and in case there be more in that tract it is to be apprised to him by the Commity appoynted to lay it out

Desenters Tho: Hering

(254) March 18 1$\frac{699}{700}$ At a generall meeting of the Town and propriators according to their appoyntment at their former meeting march the Eleventh

The Town upon receiving an account from Thomas Fuller late Constable of divers pore persons in arreare in their proportion of the Town rate Committed into Said Constables hand to Colect did remit to Severall persons their proportions in the whole four pounds Six shilings & three pence

Granted to Ephram Wilson three acres of land to be layed out to Said Ephram in the common lands of the town for full Sattisfaction for the high way lying through his land at the new bridge ouer Charles river and for liberty to take gravill to mende the way at the bridge prouided they doe not dige on the west side of the grauill pit so as to rong his fence and the way to be layed out two rods wide to the bridge by Nathanell Richards and John Gay Sener

The propriators by a subcription of the major part of the propriaty did this eighteenth day of march abovesaid agree to lay out a devident of their unduided lands

It was further put to the propriators whither they doe agree to lay out three acres to a Common right as neer the Town as may be on the north Side of Naponsat river in those lands that are alredy broken by former devidents and every propriator have liberty to Choos where it may be most Convenient for him and in case two or more put in for the Same peece, then to deside it by a lot whose it shall be always reseruing nesesery and Convenient high wayes this was answered by vote in the afirmative

The propriators by their vote declare their minde is to reserve liberty till the Town meeting in May next when they meet to Choos a Representaive for Such as have not yet taken up their dve proportions in former devitdents to take up their dve and doe appoynt then to meet at the place appoynted by the Town and atend that which they shall find nesesery to be further done in order to the laying out this devident abovesaid of three acres to one Cow Common right this also was answered in the afirmative

Upon a motion made by Ezra Mors the propriators Chose and deputed Samvell Gay Jonathan Metcalfe & John Deane a Commity to lay out to Ezra Mors that forty acres of land granted to him for his Incuredgement to ler fall his Corn-mill for the leting downe of the water for the benifit of out medows & the other mills

March 20 1$\frac{699}{700}$ Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery Selectmen

Vpon notis given by the Select men of Dorchester to send men to run the line between our Town and Dorchester Chose Capt John Everit & John Deane

Aprill : 8 : 1700 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery Selectmen

To make a schoole rate or assesment

(255) This eight day of Aprill aforsaid the school rate was proportioned
the schoole rat by the Same rule the former schoole rate was: may the 20
to John 1699 and the same qvantaty and refers thereunto to Know
Baker 6-15-00 every perticuler persons proportion therein To John Richards
1701 *Novem* to colect 6—4—10 Vpon Reckoning with John Richards Con-
5th *Reckoned* stable this 24 day of febr 1700—accounts are even with sum one
with John acount of this schoolle rate
Baker for This day Robert Avery bringing in proofe of four acres of land
this schoole rat layed out to Samvell Everit by Leut Ellis and upon Said Roberts making appear that he have satisfied Said Samvell his charge in laying out Said land and having liberty from Said Samvell to take up the same. the Select men gave order to the Town Clerk to enter the Said land with the bounds & abuttelments now given in to Said Robert Avery upon his own right

May 13 : 1700 Att a meeting of the Town to Choos a Representative & other Town busines. also the propriators this day being met according to their appoyntment their last meeting

This day Capt Daniell Fisher is Chosen Representative for the year ensuing

It was also put to the Town whither they will grant an assessment of twenty four pounds in money to defray town Debts and Charges this was granted by a Vote of the Town in the Afirmative

It was put to the Town whither they desier our Representative to put up a petition to the generall Court to appoint a Commity to run the line between Dedham & Netick in the behalfe of the Indians that the line may be run by them : & Such as our Town shall appoynt in the behalfe of our Town; as the line was stated by the generall Court this was answered by Vote, in the afirmative

It was this day put to the propriator whither they will have this present devident of three acres to one Cow Common right layed out by a Suruaier under oth and that John Deane shall be Imployed a Survaier in that work this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the propriators whither they will Continew Capt Daniell Fisher and John Fuller their former Commity to lay out this present devident and that any one of them with the Survaier Shall have power to

lay out to any propriator their dve proportion in Said Devident & make return thereof under their hands of the qvantity bounds and abuttelments to be entered in the Booke of grants answered in the afirmative

It was put to the propriators whither they that put in for land in this present devident shall put in to the Survaier and to one of the other two of the Commity and date the time when they put in and none to put in befor the twenty day of this Instant may this is answered by vote in the afirmative

It was further put to the propriators whither every one that puts in for land shall given in an account of their Common rights & make their right to appear and from whence they derived the Same before the Commity lay out any land to any Such person in this present devident of three acres to one Cow Common right This was answered by vote in the afirmative

The propriators Chose Capt Daniell Fisher and Joseph Colburn and deputed them a commity to make Sattisfaction to Nath Haws and Samvell Parker as they shall judge resonable for the damage they Sufer by the high ways laid out in their land

(256) This thirteenth day of May afores [ ] the Town being Informed that the Honourable William Stoughton Esq, Is willing to Confirme to our Town Convenient Highwayes through his land to foull medows provided the Town answar his desier in turning the Country Rode into our town where it may most Conveniently be, for the benifit & convenience thereof

The town by their vote answar that they are ready to grant his Honours desier there in And leave the ceare thereof with the Selectmen to Indeavour the Confirmation thereof on both sides by Sufficient Instruments legaly Confirmed a'so the Town desiers that his Honour would grant them liberty to stacke their hay by the medow side upon the upland for their their Convenience as formerly

The Town taking into Consideration the great loss which Timothy Whiting hath Suffered by the burning of his Corn mill have Granted to the Said Timothy Whitting the use of five & twenty pounds of the money which is to be received in part of pay for the schoole farme prouided he give good Securytie. for the Same to the Commity appoynted to make Sale of said farme for the use of Town toward the maintinance of a schoole and that the Said Timothy shall have the Improvement of said money for this present year without paying any use or rent for the same

At the desier of William Makintosh the propriators leuve it with the select men to appoynt him wher to Set his fence at the Corner of his lot next the High ways

May 14th 1700 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Eleazer Kingsbury Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery Select men

John Richards making proofe to the select men of twelve acres of land layed out to his father by Leu^{t} Ellis with the bounds and abbuttelments thereupon the Select men give order for the recording thereof in the Booke of grants

The select men being Informed by severall persons that there is need of a ways being layed out from the great plaine to Magus Hill and into the rode leading from the falls to Sherborn thereupon the select doe appoynt and Deput Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery John Smith and John Rice to lay out said way so as may be most convenient for the Towns use and lest prejudishall to perticuler persons

Deacon John Aldis making proofe of two percels of land layed out to him by Leu^{t} Ellis with the bounds & Abuttelments one percell Containing seven acres more or less the other percill containing fifteen acres more or less the select men give order for the entering of both said percills of land to Deacon Aldis in the booke of grants

Also the Vido Anna Pond making apeer to the select men that there was one acre of land layed out to har late husband Leu^{t} Daniell Pond neer the new bridge ouer Charles River And also five acres purchased of Elnathan Dunckle which was granted to Said Elnathan on the North side of Charles river 1: 11: 1668 which five acres Said Daniell Pond layed down to the Town & had five acres layed out to him at springfield in lve thereof which being made to appear with the bounds & Abbuttelments the Selectmen gave order that these two pearcill above expresed shall be recorded in the Booke of grants to the Heyers of Said Leu^{t} Daniell Pond

Joseph Colburn is agreed with to prouid timber and to make and Set up a good sufficient pound for the use of the Town and is to Receive for his labour and Charge therein forty shilings out of the Town rate

(257) Dedham May 14th 1700 An assessment made by vertve of an act of the great and generall Court and warrant Received from the Country Treasurer persuent thereunto baring date the 27th day of march 1700 wherein each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name in three distinct Columns as the law directs [*Table follows, containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Fainrbank, William Avery Sen, William Avery Jun, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathan^{ll} Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Timothy Whitting, James Makenab, James Makerwithe Señ, Jams Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nathan^{ll} Stearns, Capt John Everit, John Everit Juñ, Samvell Everit, Deacon Thomas Metcalfe & Thomas Metcalfe Juñ, Samvell Stearns, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild, William Makintosh, Nath

Farington, Jonath Whitting, Jams Falls Sen, Peter Falls, Joseph Smith, John Farington, James Falls Juñ, Peter Thorp, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Ralph Freeman Señ, Jonath Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, John Haws, Benja Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahel Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonath Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Sam[ll] & Tim̃ Gay, James Emmory, Jonath Boyden, John Gay Juñ, Josiah Cobet, Mary Clap for Sam̃, Samvell Thorp, Sam[ll] Faierbank.

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Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nath Richards, John Smith, Nathanell Gay, John Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, John Battele, John Paine, Ensigne Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonathan Battele, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John & Willi Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Vid Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Joseph Daniells, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Daniell Larance, William Bullard, Josiah Newell, Andraw Wodkins, Mathew Tomblin, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Barakiah Lewis, Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Thomas Paine, (258) Vid Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Mary & Jams Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Vid Marcy Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Nathan[ll] Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jabez & Anna Pond, Samvell Aldridg, Daniell Draper, Joseph Colburn, Joseph Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, John Parker, John Mason, Samvell Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ebenezer Braket, Nath & Lidia Chickring, Jonathan Gay.

This later part of the Country rate is Delivered into the hand of John Baker Constable to Colect and gather

June the 4th 1700 Assembled Leu[t] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery and William Avery to make the Town Rate

An assessment made to defray Town debts and Charges being proportioned upon perticuler persons according to the act of the Town at their generall meeting may the thirteenth 1700 is as foloweth [*Table follows, containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Samvell Whitting. Timothy Whitting, James Maknab, James Makerwithe Señ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nathanaell Stearns,

Capt John Everit, Samvell Everit, Deacon Tho & Tho: Juñ Metcalfe, Samvell Stearns, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild, William Makintosh, Nathanaell Farington, John Everit Juñ, Peter Thorp, Jonathan Whitting, James Falls Señ, Peter Falls, James Falls Juñ, John Farington, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Jonathan Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, John Haws, Benjamin Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahel Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvelt Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Joseph Smith, Sam^{ll} & Timo Gay, John Gay Juñ, (259) William Bullard, James Emmory, Jonathan Boyden, Vid Mary Clap, Samvell Thorp, Josiah Cobit, Samvell Faierbank, Jonathan Faierbank Jnu

This first part of the Town Rate being Commited into the hand of John Richards Constable to Colect the totall thereof is 11^{lb}—13^{s}—01^{d}

Reckoned with John Richards Constable febr 24 1700-1 and there remains dve to the Town from said Constable one pound— shillings & seven pence 1—11—10

payed the same day after Reckoning	1—11—10
So that there remaine dve but	1— 4— 7
1701 march the 3^{d} payd in a bill to Robert Avery	1— 4— 7

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Battele, Nathanaell Richards, John Smith, Nathanaell Gay, John Gay señ, Comfort Starr, Nathanaell Haws, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezar Ware, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, John Battele, John Paine, Ensig Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills, Jonathan Battele, Nathanaell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jonathan Gay, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John & William Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Barakiah Lewis, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Vid Hannah Alldridg, Thomas Paine, Mathew Tombline, Vido Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Mary & James Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Vid Marcy Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Anna & Jabez Pond, Samvell Alldridge, Daniell Draper, Joseph Colburn, Joseph Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Vido Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Joseph Daniels, Isaac Chinory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, John Parker, John Mason, Samvell Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Lidia & Nath Chickring, Daniell Larance, Benezar Braket, Andraw Wodkins, Josiah Newell

This later part of the town Rate being Commited into the hand of John Baker Constable to Colect the totall thereof is 13—11—03

(260) June 19th 1700 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery

A Com^tee of the Genl. Court to run the line between Dedham & Natick

The select men of Dedham being Informed that the Honoured General Court have appoynted a commity In behalfe of the Indians to run the line between Dedham and Natick Said select men thereupon have Chosen and deputed Capt Daniell Fisher Nathanaell Bullard Leu^t Samvell Gvild John Deane Jonathan Gay and John Smith a commity to act in the behalfe of the town of Dedham in runing Said line as it was formerly stated by the generall Court or any three of said Commity

It was made to appear to the select men that their was layed out by Ensigne Fuller and Ensigne Ellis and Nathanall Bullard to John Fisher six acres of medow upon the right and by order of Nathanaell Heaton as doth partly apear by a record entered in a day book. 3 ·· 11 ·· 1669 whereupon the select men give order for the entering the same in the book of grants as there is return thereof made under the hand of one of the three men appoynted to lay out Said land with his testimony that they did all act thereupon

also it being made appear that there was layed out vpon the rights of Mr Alline twelve acres which John Baker have purchased it appearing by the testimony of Samvell Gay and by the Records of other land abutting upon the Same thereupon the select men give order to enter it in the Booke or records

Upon proofe made of four acres of land layed out to Thomas Fisher upon the rights of Thomas Battele in Natick Devident whereupon the Selectmen give order likewis to record the Same

likewis it being made to appear that there was layed out to Nathanaell Heaton twelve acres 5 upon Thomas Batteles rights and 4 upon Robert Masons Rights & three acres upon Edward Hawses rights this is also appoynted to be entred in the booke of records

June 22: 1700 Assembled Leu^t Samvell Gvild Sarg^t Eleazer Kingsber Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery To proportion our pasters Salery

This day upon Reckoning with Mr John Fox Schoolemaster for Keeping Schoole in Dedham one year and three quarters and there remaines Dve to Said Schoolemaster Six pound & fifteen shiling thirteen thereof is for Keeping his hors at his own Charge 6—15—00

It being made appear to the Select men that John Bacon had layed out to him by Ensigne Ellis two acres ½ of land on the North side of Charles River on the easterly side of the great Brooke the select men there upon give order for the recording the Said two acres and halfe of land in the Booke of grants

July 17th 1700 Assembled after lectur Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^t Sam^ll Gvild Sarg^t Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery

This Day the Selectmen Chose and deputed Deacon Thomas Metcalfe and Barakiah Lewis a commity to lay out nesessery high ways from the old Saw mill road to the fields at Naponsat River So as may be most convenient & least preiudishall for the Town and perticuler persons

(**261**) this seventeenth day of July aforesaid Ralph Freeman Señ did move to the Select men to have Seven acres of land Recorded in the Booke of grants which have been formerly neglected the Said Ralph Freeman did then make it appear that there was layed out to Jonathan Freeman five acres of land neer to the house of John Dean upon account of rights purchased of Dr Jonathan Avery which land Said Jonathan Freeman Sould to Said Ralph Freeman his father & said Ralph having sold the Said five acres of land to John Deane desiered that the grant of Said land may be entred to John Deane in the book of records also the other two acres the right thereof likewis being purchased of Dr Jonathan Avery and sold and layed out to Ezra Mors Said Ralph desiered that also might be entered in the book of Records of land to said Ezra Mors the selectmen thereupon give order for the entering and recording of Said Seven acres of land

The proportion made upon perticuler persons to our Pasters Salary with the ten pounds aded to procure wood for our pasters fire the whole being Seventy lb [*Table follows, containing following names, but figures omitted. See Introduction*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Sam Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, Willi Avery Sen, Willi Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Sam Whitting, Timo Whitting, James Maknab, Jams Makerwithe Sen, James Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nath Stearns, Capt John Everit, John Everit Juñ, Sam Everit, Deacon & Tho Metcalfe, Samvell Stearns, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leut Sam Gvild, Willi Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington, Jonath Whitting, Ralph Freeman Sen, Jonath Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, John Haws, Benj Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahel Smith, Vigalence Fisher, Jonath Metcalfe, Sam Holms, Joshva Fisher Sen, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Danell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Joseph Smith, Samll & Timo Gay, John Gay Juñ, Willi Bullard, James Emmory, Josiah Cobet, Sam Faierbank, Jonath Faierbank, Sam Thorp, Capt Dan Fisher, Deacon Wight, Nath Richards, John Smith, Nath Gay, John Gay Sen, Comfort Starr, Nath Haws, Tho Fisher, Ebenez Ware, Benj Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, John Battele, John Paine, Robert Avery, Benj Mills, Jonath Battele, Nath Bullard, Ephr Wilson, Jonath Gay, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John & Will Eaton, Tho Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Barakiah Lewis, Tho Ockinton, Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery, John Fuller, John Woodcock,

Vid Hannah Allridg, Vid Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Michaell Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Vid Mary & James Kingsbery, Jonath Dewing, John Fisher, Marcy Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Anna & Jabez Pond, Joseph Colburn, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Samvell Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Daniell Larance, Ebenezer Braket, Vid Lidia & Nathanaell Chickring, Andraw Wodkins, Josiah Newill.

(262) September 11th 1700 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery Select men To make the Cuntry & County Rate

Benjamin Onion is Chosen pound Keeper for this present yeare

August 19: 1700 Sir Prentis began to Keep the Schoole and is to receive 25 pounds for the year & Keeing his horse with hay and grass

Sargt Eleazer Kingsbury Thomas Fuller & John Woodcock are Chosen and deputed a Commity to lay out the Highway from the Island over the great Causeway to the great Plaine So as may be most Convenient for the Towns use

An assessment made of sixty eight pounds fifteen shilling by vertve of an act of the great and generall Court & Warrant from the Treasurer persvent to the same [*Table follows, containing following names, but figures omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldiss, Peter Woodward, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathanell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Timothy Whitting, James Maknab, James Makerwithe Señ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nathanel Stearns, Capt John Everit, Samvell Everit, John Everit Juñ, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Samvell Stearns, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leut Samvell Gvild, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington, Jonath Whitting, James Falls Señ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Ralph Freeman Señ, Jonathan Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, John Haws, Benjamin Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahel Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Joseph Smith, Samll & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Emory, Benjamln Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, Robert Avery, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Sam Thorp, Sam Faierbank, Josiah Cobet, Vid Mary Clap.

This first of the Country Rate is Commited into the hand of John Richards Constable to Colect

(263) The second part of the Country Rate.

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathanel Richards, John Smith, Nathanel Gay, John Gay Sen, Comfort Starr, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, John Battele, John Paine, Benjamin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonath Battele, Nathaniell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jonathan Gay, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John & Will Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Barakiah Lewis, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbury, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Vid Hannah Fuller, Vid Hannah Alldridg, Thomas Paine, Andraw Wodkins, John Bullard, Mathew Tomblin, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Mary & James Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Vid Marcy Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Jabez & Anna Pond, Samvell Alldridge, Daniell Draper, Joseph Colburn, Joseph Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, Vid Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Joseph Daniells, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, John Parker, John Mason, Samvell Bacon, Nathanell Chickring, Mathias Ockinton, Daniell Larance, Ebenezer Braket, Josiah Newell, Jonath Boyden, William Bullard.

This later part of the Country Rate is Delivered into the hand of John Baker Constable to Colect

The County Rate made by vertve of a warrant Received from the Court of generall ssessions of the peace Reqviring the same being five pounds ten shillings to be payed in money: is as foloweth *Table follows, containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Samvell Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery Sen, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathanel Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Timothy Whitting, James Maknab, James Makerwithe Sen, James Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nathanel Stearns, Capt John Everit, (264) Samvell Everit, John Everit Jun, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Samvell Stearns, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Eleazer Fisher, Leut Samvell Gvild, William Makintosh, Nathanel Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington, James Falls Sen, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Jonath Boyden, Vid Mary Clap, Jonathan Faierbank Juñ, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Joseph Hartshorn, Ralph Freeman Sen, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, Jonathan Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, Barakiah Lewis, John Haws, Benjamin Colburn, Boaz Browne, Asahell Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Samll & Timo Gay, John Gay June, William Bullard, James Emory, Joseph Smith, Josiah Cobet, Samvell Thorp, Samvell Faierbank.

This first part of the County Rate is delivered into the hand of John Richards Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law directs

The later part of the County rat is as foloweth

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathanell Richards, Johh Smith, Náthanel Gay, John Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Nathanel Haws. Thomas Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, John Battele, John Paine, Ens Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills, Thomas Battele, Jonathan Battele, Nathanel Bullard, Ephram Willson, Jonathan Gay, Nathanel Kingsbery, Joseph Haws, John & William Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Señ, Amos Fisher, John Baker, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Vid Hannah Alldridge, Vid Hannah Fuller, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Mary & James Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Vid Marcy Colburn, (265) Eleazer Ellis, Jabez & Anna Pond, Samvell Alldridge, Daniell Draper, Sargt Joseph Colburn, Joseph Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, Caleb Pond, John Parker, Vid Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Joseph Daniells, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, John Mason, Samvell Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Daniell Larance, Nathanell Chickring, Ebenezer Braket, Andraw Wodkins, Josiah Newell, Mathew Tomblin.

This later part of the County Rate is commited into the hand of John Baker Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law Directs

October 18 1700 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Guild Sargt Josiah Fisher & William Avery

Vpon the desier of John Gay Señ there is aded to the Commity Chosen to lay out the Highway from the Iland over the great Causway to the great plaine Deacon Joseph Wight & Asahel Smith

October the 28: 1700 Att a Generall meeting of the Inhabitants and propriators of this Town of Dedham upon dve notis given

It was put to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of fifteen pounds in money to be proportioned upon the Inhabitants towards the Reparing the meeti— house Schoole house and for the suport of the Schoole in paying the Schoole master this was answered in the afirmative

It was put to the Vote of the propriators whither the Commity appoynted to lay out the late devidents namely Capt Daniell Fisher John Ful— and John Deane shall have power to lay out Such lots in the first Natick devident as have been Neglected to be recorded and to make return thereof under their hands to the Town clerk to be entered in the Booke of records of land granted this was answered in the Afirmativ

It was further put to the propriators whither the devident of plowing land of one acre to a Cowe Common right granted to be layed out and all other devidents allredy granted and agreed upon to be layed out since. shall

be layed out and recorded before the last of may 1701 and all Such as have been put in for and neglected to be layed out and recorded by the Said last of ma, shall be free for any propriator (that has right to take up land in the late devidents abovesaid) to take up and such of Said Natick Devident as abovehamed is to be layed out and recorded by the above Said last of may this was answered by Vot in the afirmative

Assembled this 28 of October above said Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery Select men and then Chose Deacon Thomas Metcalfe Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild and Sargt Josiah Fisher accommity to lay out the way granted by the Town upon the desier of William Stoughten Esq^{er} Leu^{t} Governer to be layed out in our Town bounds neer the Wolfe pit for the Convenience of the Country Rode to Naponsat River

(**266**) November the 11th 1700 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samvell Guild Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery select men To make an assessment,granted to repayer the Meeting house Schoole house and towards the payment of the Schoole master and is proportioned upon the Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham in eqvall proportion as foloweth [*Table follows, containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Deacon John Alldis, Peter Woodward, Sam Bullard, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Thomas Hering, Nathanell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Mors, Vid Hannah Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Timothy Whitting, James Maknab, James Makerwithe Sen, James Makerwithe Juñ, Capt Nathanell Stearns, Capt John Everit, Samvell Everit, John Everit Juñ, Deacon and Thomas Metcalfe, Samvell Stearns, Josiah Fisher, Eleaz Fisher, L Samvell Gvild, Willi Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, John Farington, James Falls Señ, Peter Falls, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Jonathan Boyden, Mary Clap, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Eleazer Clap, William Robins, Jos Hartshorn, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Benj Colburn, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, Jonath Fuller, John Ellis, John Deane, Barakiah Lewis, John Haws, Boaz Browne, Asahell Smith, Vigelence Fisher, Jonath Metcalfe, Samvell Holms, Joshva Fisher Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Daniell Alldis, John Kichards, Sam̃ & Tim̃ Gay, John Gay Jun, William Bullard, James Em̃ory, Joseph Smith, Josiah Cobet, Samvell Thorp. The total Sume is 8—11—03

This first part of Said assessment is given Into the hand of John Richards Constable to Colect with a Warant to Colect & pay in the Same according to order received by [ ] this whole rate is payed by John Rich

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathanell Richards, John Smith, Nathanell Gay, John Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Nathanell Haws, Thomas Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, John Battele, John Paine, Ens Robert Avery, Benjamin Mills. Thomas Battele, Jonathan Battele, Nathanell Bullard, Ephram Wilson, Jonathan Gay, Nathanell Kingsbery, Joseph Haws-John & Will Eaton, Thomas Hall, Andraw Dewing, Joseph Ellis Sen, Amos Fisher, John Baker, S Eleaz Kingsbery, Thomas Ockinton, John Fuller, John Woodcock, Vid Hañ Fuller, Vid Hanna Aldridg, Daniell Larance, Nath Chickring, Mathew Tomblin, John Rice, Daniell Wight, Eliz & Michael Metcalf, Thomas Fuller, Ephram Ware, John Bacon, Vid Sarah Day, Mary & Jams Kingsbery, Jonathan Dewing, John Fisher, Vid Marcy Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ana & Jabez Pond, Samvell Alldridg. Daniell Draper, Sg^{t} Jos Colburn, Joseph Bullard & John Bullard, Jeremia Woodcock, Caleb Pond, John Parker, Vid Hannah Ware, Samvell Ware, John Draper, Joseph Daniels, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, John Mason, Samvell Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ebenezer Braket, Andrew Wadkins, Josiah Newell.

This last part of Said assessment is delivered Into the hand of John Baker Constable to Colect and pay in according to order with a warrant prefixed thereunto as the law directs the total Sume is 8^{lb}—12^{s}—00^{d}

Reckoned 24 day of Febr 1700-1 and there is doe one account of this rat from John Richards 4 4 9

1701 march 3 a bill payed to mr prentice 3 2 6

(267) This 11 day of November afore Said Deacon Thomas Metcalf^{e} Leu^{t} Sam^{ll} Gvild and Sargt Josiah Fisher being deputed to lay out a High Way to Purgatory Swampe for the use of the Town make their return that they have layed out said way two Rods. wide. from the Country Road by the Ridge Hill between the land of Jonathan Metcalfe and Said ridge on the west side of the ridge & so Southward to the South end of the lot granted to William Avery Señ and so into an old Road to a littel Brook and in said old track to another Brook and from thence to the land of Josiah Fisher & Nathaniell & John Farington in two distinct wayes

Janvery i 1700-1 Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & William Avery Selectmen being Assembled

Vpon the desier of Robert Cooke of Dorchester that the selectmen would give their Consent to his Purches of the forty acres of land granted to William Nahaton neer the vper falls the select men accordingly granted his desier therein with this reserve that whensoever Said Robert Cooke or his Successors See cause to make Sale of Said land he or they shall make the first tender thereof to the Town of Dedham that they may have the liberty of the purches or refusall of the Same

febrvary the 24 1700-1 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvill Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher & William Avery

This day Reckoned with Thomas Fuller late Constable and there is dve upon balance from Said Constable to the Town three pounds four shillings
03—04—00

febrvary The 26 Assembled after lectur Leu^{t} Samvell Gvilld Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery selectmen

Leu^{t} Samvell Gvilld and Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery are Choos a commity to lay out nessery and Convenient highways to the lands at Naponsat river

This 26 of febrvary abovesaid Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbury & Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and Thomas Fuller being formerly deputed to lay out a High way on the north side of Charls River from the way over the new Bridge to the house of John Smith having attended Said work make their return as foloweth begining at the Road leading to the great plaine neer to a Pond and so forward to John Smiths house as it is marked out Said way is to be three rods broad

Likewise Eleazer Kingsbery John Smith & John Rice being deputed to lay out a High way from the Great Plaine towards Magus Hill make return of their doeing thereof as foloweth Begining on the northerly side of the great Plaine neer the house of James Kingsbery and have layed it out three rods broad in the old leading way into Sherborn Road

also John Gay and Nathanaell Richards being deputed to lay out a Highway from the new bridge over Charls River to the Town make return that they have layed out Said High way two rods wide throug the land of Ephram Wilson upon the East side of Said land and So Said way Joynes upon the land of Amos Fisher towards the East and from thence to the Town three rods wide Nathanaell Richards
John Gay Senr

(268) Dedham March 3^{d} 17$\frac{00}{1}$ The freeholders and other Inhabitant^{s} being assembled also the propriators of the Town Commons upon dve notis given it being the day apoynted to Choos Town officer and to performing other Town & propriators busines

Elections are as foloweth William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk & one of the Select men for the year ensu Lu^{t} Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer

Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher selectmen

Nathanell Farington & Benjamin Colburn are Chosen Constables

Deacon Thomas Metcalfe John Gay Sen John Rice Joseph Colburn John Woodcock James Maknab Ephram Willson survayers of High ways

Jonathan Fuller Deacon Joseph Wight Thomas Fisher Capt John Everit John Smith Samvell Ware fencevewers

Asahell Smith Capt John Everit John Deane Benjamin Onion Nath Gay and John Smith Tithing men

Samvell Everit Caleb Pond Thomas Hall Peter Falls field Drivers

Asahell Smith Sealer of Leather

Vpon of the inconvenience of being late in Town meetings It was put to Town whither they order that for the futter there shall not be any act pased halfe an houre after sundown that shall stand good or be valied this was answered by vote of the Town in the afirmative

it was further put to the Town whither they will mak an addition to the meeting house of twelve or fourteen foots upon the west side of Said house this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the Town whither they will be at the whole Charge of building Said addition of twelve or fourteen foots and repayering the house this was answered in the afirmative

It was put to the vote of the Town whither they doe grant thirty pounds to be raised upon the Town at present towards this work of building and repayering the meeting house one halfe thereof to be payed in money and the other halfe in other pay to the Sattisfaction of the commity to be Chosen to maneg Said work corn and labour wheat at five shillings per bushell Rye at four Indian corn at three shillings per bushell & work or labour at two shillings a day this was answered in the afirmative

also the selectmen did this day give notis to the Town and propriators that munday the tenth of this Instant march is apoynted for their publik meeting at the house of Joshva Fisher at eight of the clock in the forenoon

(269) March the 10 170$\frac{9}{1}$ the Town being met according to appoyntment in their last meeting the third of march

It was put to the Town whither they will at present repayer the meeting house and make Inlargement above and below as much as may be with Convenience and make lights above this was answered by vote in the afirmative

It was also put to the Town whither the thirty pounds granted by the Town at their last meeting on the third of march shall be Improved towards this work of repaiering the meeting house and ten pounds more be raised and added thereto in the Same specie this was answered by the vote of the Town in the afirmative

It was put to the Town whither they will choose a commity of three men to procure the performance of Said work as Soone as may be this was answered by vote in the afirmative

The Commity Chosen to this work of procuring the performance of the work above expresed in repayering the meeting house are Capt Daniell Fisher Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild & Sarg^{t} Joseph Colburn

It was also proposed to the Town whither they doe grant sixteen pounds to be raised for the payment of Debts dve from the Town this was answered by vote in the afirmative

Vpon Information that severall persones have not payd their dve proportion in the two years or more past to our pasters psalary

It was thereupon put to the Town whither they will alow such persons till the last of may next to make up theire accounts and pay in to the Deacon their dve proportions to our pasters Salary and in case such doe negle— or refuse the same that they shall be prosecuted according to the Town order made and provided in that case

March the 26 1701 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Lu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & William Avery Selectmen

Having Received an order from Roxbery Selectmen to send men to run the line between Roxbery & Dedham accordingly Chose and deputed Nathanell Colburn & Ezra Mors to attend Said work at the time and place appoynted by Roxbery

May 7th 1701 The freeholders and other habitants and propriators of this Town of Dedham being Assembled upon dve notis given

This day by vertve of aprecept Received Reqvring the Choyce of a Representative accordingly Chose Capt Daniell Fisher their Representative for this present year

It was put to the Town whither they doe grant money for the mainitnance of the schoole one halfe year according as the selectmen have agreed with this present Schoole master mr John Prentice the sum being twelve pounds ten shillings also money to procur him the Keeping a horse with hay and grass and money to procur one barill of pouder this was answered in the afirmative

Vpon the desier of John Bacon Eleazer Ellis & Jonathan Battele the Select have Chosen & deputed Capt Daniell Fisher & John Deane to make Such allteration in the way layed over the great Brook neer pagon hill as they Judg best for the use of the Town & the Neighbours a Jasent & make reasonable Sattisfaction to perticuler propriators for the Same

(270) May 7th 1701 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery

This day the Select men being enformed that John Starr an Impotent person is entertained in our Town & may be lick to be a town charg therefor have give an order to the Constable to give notis to s^{d} John Starr that he doe forthwith depart out of this Town of Dedham & that his brother Comfort Starr is disalowed to entertain Said John Starr

also upon enformation that aleame gearl is came lately into our town whose name is Wodckins entertained at the house of Edward Cooke there-

fore have desiered Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery to give notis to Seid leame gearl that shee doe depart forthwith out of this town of Dedham and also to give notis to seid Edward Cooke that he is disalowed to entertaine har in our Said Town

May 23 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery To perfect the bills of rateable estate in preperation to make the severall assessments granted to be reised upon this Town of Dedham for this present year

Where as the Commity formerly Chosen to lay out the Highway from the Island over the great Causey to the great Plaine did not agree to accomplish Said work Therefore the Selectmen of this Town of Dedham met upon said Island the thirteenth day of May one thousand seven hundred and one to performe Said work and did lay out the High way begining upon the top of the hill in the Said Island at the Easterly end of the Said Casey and have marked trees one both sides of the high way: from the highway leading into the great meadows downward to the great Causey of varying breadth as may be most for aduantage in pasing up and down the hill and So forward upon the Said Causey as the fence now standeth on both sides till it Comes to the River on the west side of the way and So forward between the Said river and the medows as the fence now standeth exepting against the medow of Eleazer Kingsbury where there is a stake set down and from thence to a tree marked & from thence to an other stake all standing within the fence as it now standeth towards the medow and from thence between the River and the fence as it is stated by the fence and diver marked trees till it comes to the medow of John Gay and finding the fence lately removed there: doe agree that the said high way shall lye Joyning to Said medow where the fence foremerly stood neer upon aline with the fence of John Smiths medow as we have marked it out by severall stubs standing upon the old ditch banck where the old fence stwood and so turning as the old fence did till it comes to a whit oak stub and from thence to a stake in a straight line to a raile post in the fene as it now standeth said post being the thirteenth from the westerly end: and So as the fence now standeth from said 13th post to the westerly end: and it is agreed that the said John Gay shall remove his fence out of the Said high way within one monthes time and upon the desier of sd Eleazer Kingsbery there is liberty granted till September next for the removeing his fence and said high way is layed out and marked westward from the said fence of John Gay on the northerly side of Said way to a white oack marked standing neer upon aline with the Said fence & So forward to another whit oack and to a maple tree and upon the southerly side the way is bounded by the fence of the long medow as it standeth: and upon the North side from said maple tree to a whit oack tree and from thence to the fence of John Fullers up-

land & So forward to a small pine tree from thence to the fence of Thomas Fuller between that and the land of Deacon Joseph Wight and from the land of Thomas Fuller as the fence now stands to the end of Mathew Tomblins lot & from thence to apin tree So forward to a marked tree upon the south side of Michaell Metcalfes lot and so all along from the great causeys as the old way is dwawn upon the upland to the great plaine three rods wide

(271) Dedham June 16th 1701 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery & William Avery select men

To proportion our Reūd Pasters Salary the Town Rate Schoole rate and meeting house rate according to their severall grantes by the Town for this present year

The proportion of our Reu^{d} Pasters Salary upon perticuler persons together with their proportions of money for wood is as foloweth [*Table follows, containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Faierbank, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Ellis Jun Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, Ezra Morse, Vid Hannah Whitting and Samvell Whitting, John Huntting Sen, Sam^{ll} & Timō Gay, Samvell Stearns, Jonathan Fuller, Jonathan Metcalfe, Benjamin Colburn, Timothy Whitting, Joseph Smith, John Gay Jun, Peter Thorp, James Maknab, Boaz Browne, Joshva Fisher Señ, Samvell Holmes, Jonathan Metcalfe Juñ, Benjamin Onion, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Robert Avery, Vigelence Fisher, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Aldis, William Bullard, John Huntting Juñ, Capt John Everit, Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild. John Metcalfe, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Sarg^{t} Joseph Colburn, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Ephram Ware, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Samvell Everrit, Nath Farington, Willi Makintosh, John Farington, Samvell Gvild Juñ, John Deane, James Makerwithe Juñ, John Everit Juñ, Jonath Whitting, John Ellis, Asahell Smith, John Richards, Eleazer Fisher, John Haws, Ralph Freeman Juñ, James Falls Juñ, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Samvell Thorp, Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Hall, Nath Kingsbery, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, John Baker, Nath Richards, Comfort Starr, John Smith, Nathanaell Gay, Daniell Larance, Joseph Haws, Edward Cooke, Ephram Wilson, Nathanaell Haws, Deacon Joseph Wight, John Battele, Eleazer Ellis, Jonathan Battele, Benjamin Mills, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Daniell Wight, John Gill, Nathanaell Bullard, Jeremiah Woodcock, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, John Fuller, Thomas Ockinton, Samvell Ware, Amos Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, Vid Hannah Ware, Ralph Freeman Señ, Nathanaell Chickring, Andraw Wodkins, Thomas Fuller, Michaell Metcalfe, John Woodcock, John & Wm Eaton, John Rice, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Mary & Jams Kingsbery, John Bacon, Jonath Dewing, Samvell Bacon, Sarg^{t} Elea Kingsbery, Thomas Battele, Joseph Ellis Señ, Vid Sarah Day, Vid

Marcy Colburn, Anna & Jabez Pond, Mathew Tomblin, Lidia Chickring. Ebenezer Braket. Josiah Newell. Joseph Barber, Tho Paine, Daniell Draper, James Emmory for Josiah Pigg, Henry Tayler. totall 70 9 5

(272) Dedham June 16th 1701 aforsaid an assessment made for repayering the meeting house to be payed in money Corn and laber according to the act of the town at their meetings the third day of march last past and the tenth day of the Same each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their names as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Joseph Faierbank, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, John Huntting Sen, Samll & Timothy Gay, Samvell Stearns, Thomas Hering, Vid Hannah & Samll Whitting, Jonathan Fuller, Jonath Metcalfe, Benjamin Colburn, Timothy Whitting, Joseph Smith, John Gay Juñ. Peter Thorp, James Maknab, Boaz Browne, Joshva Fisher Señ, Samvell Holmes, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Jonathan Metcalfe Juñ, Benjamin Onion, Joshva Fisher Juñ. Joseph Ellis Juñ, Ezra Morse, Robert Avery, Vigelence Fisher, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Huntting Juñ, Peter Woodward, Capt John Everit, Leut Samvell Gvild, John Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Deacon & Tho Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Nath Farington, William Makintosh, John Farington, Samvell Gvild Jun., John Deane, James Makerwithe Jun., John Everit Jun., Eleazer Fisher, Jonathan Whitting, John Ellis, John Haws, John Richards, Asahell Smith, Ralph Freeman Jun., James Falls Jun., Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Faierbank Jun., Totall Sume 18 9 6

This first part of the meeting house Rate is put into the hand of Nathanael Farington Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law directs

Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Hall, Nathanaell Kingsbery, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, John Baker, Nathanaell Richards, Comfort Starr, John Smith, Nathanaell Gay, Daniell Larance, Joseph Haws. Edward Cooke, Ephram Wilson, John Battele, Eleazer Ellis, Jonathan Battele, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathanaell Haws, Daniell Draper, Thomas Fuller, Benjamin Mills, Jonathan Gay, Sargt Joseph Colburn, Joseph Daniels, John Parker, John Fisher, Daniell Wight, Ephram Ware, John Gill, Jeremiah Woodcock, Nathanaell Bullard, John Gay Sen, Caleb Pond, John Fuller, Thom Ockinton, Samvell Ware, Amos Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, Vid Hannah Ware, Nath Chickring, Andraw Wodkins, Michaell Metcalfe, John Woodcock, John & Wm Eaton, John Rice, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Ebenezer Ware, Andra Dewing, Mary & James Kingsbery, John Bacon, Jonathan Dewing, Samvell Bacon, Sgt Elea Kingsbery, Tho Battele, Joseph Ellis Sen., Vid Sarah Day, Vid Marcy Colburn, Jabez & Anna Pond, Mathew Tomblin,

Vid Lidia Chickring, Ebenezer Braket, Josiah Newell, Joseph Barber. Totall Sum 18lb 00s 07d

This latter part of the meeting house Rate is put into the hand of Benjamin Colburn Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law directs

School & Town Tax

(273) June 16th aforsaid an assessment made for the maintinance of the schoole and for procuring one barell of pouder for the Towns use according to their act the 7th day of may 1701 each persons perticuler proportion thereunto being prefixed to their names in the first columne as foloweth together with an assessment made to defray Town Debts according to an act of Town the tenth day of march 1700-1 prefixed to each perticuler persons name in the second columne as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Joseph Faierbank, Nathanll Colburn, John Colburn, John Huntting Sen, Samll & Timō Gay, Samvell Stearns, Thomas Hering, Vid Hannah & Samvell Whitting, Joseph Hartshorn, Jonath Fuller, Jonath Metcalfe, Benj Colburn, Timō Whitting, Joseph Smith, John Gay Jun., Peter Thorp, Elea Clap, James Maknab, Boaz Browne, Joshva Fisher Sen, Samvell Holms, Vid Mary Clap, William Avery Sen., William Avery Jun., Jonath Metcalfe Jun., Benjamin Onion, Joshva Fisher Jun., Joseph Ellis Jun., Ezra Morse, Robert Avery, Vigelenne Fisher, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Huntting Jun., Peter Woodward, Capt John Everit, Leut Samvell Gvild, John Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Deacon & Tho Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Nath Farington, Samvell Thorp, John Farington, Wm Makintosh, Sam Gvild Jun., Wm Robins, Tho Clap, Joshva Clap, James Falls Sen., Peter Falls, John Deane, Jams Makerwithe Jun., John Everit Jun., Elea Fisher, Jonath Whitting, John Ellis, John Haws, John Richards, Asahell Smith, Jona Boyden Sen., Jonath Boyden Jun., Ralph Freeman, Jun., Jams Falls Jun., Jonath Faierbank Jun. Total sum is 8lb 6s 1d

8lb 6s 1d

This first part of the schoole rate and Town rate are put into the hand of Nathanaell Farington Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law directs

Reckoned febrvary 26 1701-2 & remaines Dve of the Schoole rate 00 14 1

Reckoned for the Town rate & remains Dve 01 13 11

Reckoned & Nath Farington Constable clered this one pound thirteen shilling & eleven pe—

Capt Daniell Fisher, Tho Fisher, Tho Hall, Nath Kingsbery, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, John Baker, Nath Richards, Comfort Starr, John Smith, Nath Gay, Daniell Larance, Joseph Haws, Edward Cooke, Ephr Wilson, Danll Draper, Nath Haws, Deacon Joseph Wight, Eleaz Ellis, John Battele, Jonath Battele, Benj Mills, Anna & Jabez Pond, Vid Lidia Chickring, Samvell Ware, Jonathan Gay, Joseph Colburn, Joseph Daniells, John

Parker, John Fisher, Daniel Wight, Ephram Ware, John Gill, Jeremiah Woodcock, Nathan[ll] Bullard, John Gay Sen., Caleb Pond, Thomas Ockinton, Amos Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, Vid Hannah Ware, Nathanell Chickring, John Fuller, Thomas Fuller, Michaell Metcalf, Andraw Wodkins, Joseph Bullard, John Bullard, Mathew Tomblin, Jn° Woodcock, Jn° & W[m] Eaton, Sam Alldridg, John Rice, Vid Han. Aldridg, Eben Ware, Andr Dewing, Sarg[t] Kingsbery, Jams Kingsbery, John Baker, Jon Dewing, Sam Bacon, Tho Battele, Joseph Ellis Sen, Vid Sarah Day, Vid Marc Colburn, Jn° Draper, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isa Chinory Jun., John Mason, Ebenez Braket, Josiah Newell Total sum is 7[lb] 13[s] 6[d]
and 7 13 6

This latter part of the Schoole Rate & Town rate are Committed into the hand of Benjamin Colburn Constable to Colect with a warrant as the law directs

Reckoned for Schoole rate febrvary 26th 1701-2 & there remains Dve 15[s] 6[d]

& on account of Town rate remains Dve	2	1	1			
Received febr 8: 1702-3 on account of this Town Rate				0	8	0
and there remains Dve of s[d] town rate				1	13	1

(274) July 16th 1701 Assembled after lectur Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher & W[m] Avery Selectmen

upon information that a woman which Samvell Alldridge entertaines in his house has brought the 28 day of June a Child into Town which may be like to prove a charge to the Town: for preuention whereof Said selectmen doe appoynt that order be forthwith given to the Constable to warn Said Samvell Alldridg and Said woman dweling at his to remove the Child out of our Town forthwith & that Said select men doe disalow their entertaining thereof in our Town

August the 25th Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery Leu[t] Samvell Guild Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher & W[m] Avery To make the Country and County Rates

An assessment of Seventy pounds & four shillings by vertve of an act of the great & generall Court and warant from the Treasurer: in observation thereof is proportioned as foloweth: [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

M[r] Tim Dwight, Jos Faierbank, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, John Huntting Sen, Samvell & Timothy Gay, Sam Stearns, Tho Hering, Vid Han. Whitting, Jonath Fuller, Jonath Metcalfe, Tim̄ Whitting, Jos Smith, John Gay Jun., Peter Thorp, James Maknab, Boaz Browne, Josh Fisher Sen, Sam Holms, W[m] Avery Sen., W[m] Avery Jun., Benj Onion, Joshva Fisher Jun., Leu[t]

Sam Guild, Joseph Ellis Jun., Ezra Morse, Robert Avery, Vige Fisher, Barakia Lewis, Dan^{ll} Alldis, William Bullard, John Huntting Jun., Sam Whitting, Eleaz Clap, Pet Woodward, Capt John Everit, John Metcalfe, Sarg^{t} Josi Fisher, Deacon Tho Metcalfe, Sam Everit, Nath Farington, Wm Makintosh, John Farington, Sam Guild Jun, John Deane, Jonath Faierbank, Jun, James Makerwithe Jun,. John Everit Jun,. Eleazer Fisher, Jonath Whitting, John Ellis, John Haws. John Richards, Asahel Smith, Ralph Freeman Jun, James Falls Jun., Sam Thorp, Wm Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, James Falls Sen., Peter Falls, Vid Mary Clap, Johath Boyden, Jos Hartshorn, Jonathan Pigg.

Commited to Nath Farington Constable

Capt Daniell Fish, Tho Fisher, Tho Hall, Nath Kingsbery, John Paine, Math Ockinton, John Baker, Nath Richards, Comf Starr, John Smith, Nath Gay, Dan^{ll} Larance, Joseph Haws, Edward Cooke, Ephr Wilson, John Battele, Eleazer Ellis, Jonath Battele, Joseph Wight, Nath Haws, Dan^{ll} Draper, Tho Fuller, Benj Mills, Jonath Gay, Joseph Colburn, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, John Fisher, Dan^{ll} Wight, Ephr Ware, John Gill, Jeremiah Woodcock, John Mason, Sam Aldridg, Benj Colburn, John Bullard, Nath Bullard, John Gay Sen., Caleb Pond, John Fuller, Tho Ockinton, Sam Ware, Amos Fisher, Vid Hannah Fuller, Hannah Ware, Nath Chickring, Mich Metcalfe, John Woodcock, John & William Eaton, (275) John Rice, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Ebenez Ware, Andraw Dewing, Mary & James Kingsbery, John Bacon, Jonath Dewing, Sam Bacon, Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery, Tho Battele, Joseph Elis Sen, Sarah Day, Marcy Colburn, Annah & Jabez Pond, Math Tomblin, Lid. Chickring, Eben Braket, Jos Newell, Sam Barber, Jos Bullard, John Draper, Isaac Chenory Sen., Isaac Chinory Jun., And Wodkins.

this part commited to Benjmin Colbarn Constable to Colect

An assessment made of ye eleven pounds being the Country Rate together with five pounds to procur the Town Stock of pouder being in the whole the Same in Qvantatie with the assessment made for the maintenance of the schoole June the 16th 1701 and refers there unto to Know each perticuler persons proportion thereunto the first part of said Rate is Commited in to the hand of Nathanaell Farington Constable to Colect and the later part of said rate to Benjamin Colburn Constable to colect

Reckoned with Nath Farington Constable on account of this & the other Town rat and this 8 day of febrvary 170$\frac{2}{3}$ & mad even upon account of thes two rates

October the 6th 1701 At a meeting of the Town and propriators upon dve notis given It was put to the Town (upon notes given from the select men of Dorchester to run the line about foull Medow) whither they doe Chose Leut Samvell Gvild to atend said work this was answered by vote in

the afirmative also whither they doe Chose Sargt Joseph Colburn to atend said work this also was answerd by vot in the Afirmative

It being put to the Town and propriators whither the charges arising by setelin the bounds between the land granted to the Indians of natick and the remaid— of our land in Dedham shall be proportioned upon the Cow Common rights this was answered in the afirmative so much as is our Towns proportion thereof

It was also put to the town & propriators whither they leave it to the select men to proportion said charge this is answered by Vote in the afirmative

It being aprehended that there is sum erore in the runing the line between our Town of Dedham and the Town of Dorchester and upon Informatio— that the Town of Dorchester are willing to bear halfe the Charge in procuring a survayer to trye and examman the line by the rules and agreement whereby Said line was Stated it was thereupon put to the Town whither they doe Chose Capt Daniell Fisher and John Deane a commity to Joyne with sutch of Dorchester as they shall appoynt to procure a sirvayer and exammin Said line and rectifie such errors as shall be found therein this was answered by vote in the afirmative

It was put to the Town whither they doe leave it to the selectmen to revive the former order that doth prohibet the disposing of any house or land within this Town or the precincts thereof to any stranger that is not an Inhabitant or propriator within this Town of Dedham with out the approbation of the Town or the select men for the time being and to Indevior to get it Confirmed by the honoured Court of quarter Sessions of the peace this likewise was answered by vot in the Afirmative

(276) Assembled November 5th 1701 Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery select men

Reckoned with John Baker late Constable one accounte of the Town Rats and schooll rats Committed into Said Constables hand to Colect and there remains Dve to the Town five pounds fourteen shillings & ninepence: four shilling for Keeping the schoole masters horse and a bill of eight shillings to Isaac Chinory is accounted for in this Reckoning 05—14—09

This five pounds fourteen shillings & 9d is Received of John Baker late Constable in work dun at the meetinghouse to repayer Said house

November 17th 1701 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery and William Avery selectmen

This 17th of November abouesaid we the said Select proportioned an Assessment according to an act of the Town and propriators at at their meeting upon the sixth day of October 1701 to raise money to defray the Charges of our Town in setteling the line at netick wher [ ] is eight

pence for each Cow Common right proportioned upon [ ] are the possesors of them as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Hall, The Heirs of Nath Kingsbery Deceased, Thomas Paine, John Baker, Nathanaell Richards, Comfort Starr, John Smith, Nathanaell Gay, Joseph Haws, Ephram Wilson, John Battele, Eleazer Ellis, Jonathan Battele, Deacon Joseph Wight, Nathanaell Haws, Thomas Fuller, Benjamin Mills, Jonathan Gay, Sargt Joseph Colburn, John Fisher, Daniell Wight, Ephram Ware, Samvell Alldridg, Benjamin Colburn, Edward Cook, Nathanaell Bullard, John Gay Señ, John Fuller, Thomas Ockinton, Samvell Ware, Amos Fisher, Nathanael Chickring, The Heires of Thomas Fuller & Margaret Kingsbery Deceased, Michael Metcalfe, John Woodcock, John Eaton, John Rice, Vid Hannah Aldridge, Ebenezar Ware, Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Jonathan Dewing, Samvell Bacon, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery, Vid Sarah Day, Vid Marcy Colburn, William & Jabez Pond, Daniell Bacon & Steven Bacon, John Gill, John Paine.

This first part of the assessment upon Common rights is put in to the hand of Banjamin colburn Constable to Colect with a warrant Requiring and atherisiing him there unto December 16th The totall 8—3—10

Mr Timothy Dwight, Joseph Faierbank & the Heires of Benj Faierbank, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, John Huntting Señ, Samvell Gay, Thomas Hering, Timothy or the heirs of Nath Whitting Deceased, (277) Peter Thorp, Samvell Thorp, James Maknab, The Heires of John Richards Deceased, Joshva Fisher Sen, William Avery Señ, The Heires of Jonath Avery Deceased, Benjamin Onion, Leut Samvell Gvild, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Ezra Morse, Robert Avery, Vigelence Fisher, Daniell Alldis, William Robins, Joshva, Thomas & Eleazer Clap, James Falls Señ, The Church rights, Jonathan Metcalfe, Peter Woodward, Capt John Everit, Jonathan Fuller, Deacon Thomas Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Samvell Everit, Nath Farington, John Farington, Jonathan Faierbank Sen, John Ellis, Asahell Smith, James Falls Juñ, Joseph Hartshorn, The Heires of John Pigg, John Aldis, Joseph Damon, Samvell Bullard, John Haws.

Totall 8—5—6 This latter part of the assessment upon Common right is put into the hand of Nathanaell Farington Constable to Colect with a warrant according to law Reqviring and Authorising him there unto January 2 day

December 31: 1701 Assembled Capt Daniell Fisher, Leut Semvell Gvild Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery Sargt Josiah Fisher and William Avery Selectmen to proportion the schoole Rate

The schoole Rate or assessment is proportioned as foloweth and is to be payed in money [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Joseph Faierbank, Nathanael Colburn, John Colburn, John Huntting Señ, Samll & Timothy Gay, Samvell Stearns, Thomas Hering, Vid Hannah & Samll Whitting, Joseph Hartshorn, Jonathan Fuller, Jonathan Metcalfe, Timothy Whitting, Joseph Smith, John Gay Juñ, Peter Thorp, Eleazer Clap, James Maknab, Boaz Browne, Joshva Fisher Señ, Samvel Holms, Vid Mary Clap, William Avery Señ, Wiliiam Avery Juñ, Benjamin Onion, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Ezra Morse, Robert Avery, Vigelence Fisher, Barakiah Lewis, Daniell Aldis, William Bullard, John Huntting Juñ, Peter Woodward, Capt John Everit, Leut Samll Gvild, John Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Deacon & Tho Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Nath Farington, Samvell Thorp, John Farington, Willi Makintosh, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Willi Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, James Falls Sen, Peter Falls, John Deane, James Makerwithe Juñ, John Everit Juñ, Eleaz Fisher, Jonathan Whitting, John Ellis, John Haws, John Richards, Asahell Smith, Jonath Boyden Sen, Jonath Boyden Juñ, Ralph Freeman Juñ, James Falls Juñ, Jonath Faierbank Juñ. the totall 4^{lb}—00^{s}—03^{d}

this first part of Said rat is commited into the hand of Nath Farington constable to colect

Reckoned this 8 day of february 1702-3 and there remains Dve from Nath Farington Constable on account this schoole rate with the 14—1 that remained dve upon reckoning on account of the former schoole rate the whole remaining Dve of both rats is one pound four and four pence

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(278) This latter part of the schoole rate is as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Hall, Nath Kingsbery, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, John Baker, Nathanael Richards, Comfort Starr, John Smith, Nathanael Gay, Daniel Larance, Joseph Haws, Edward Cooke, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Draper, Nathanael Haws, Deacon Joseph Wight, Eleazer Ellis, John Battele, Jonath Battele, Benjamin Mills, Anna & Jabez Pond, Vid Lidia Chickring, Samvell Ware, Benjamin Colburn, Jonathan Gay, Sargt Joseph Colburn, Joseph Daniels, John Parker, John Fisher, Daniell Wight, Ephram Ware, John Gill, Jeremiah Woodcock, Nathanael Bullard, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Thomas Ockinton, Amos Fisher, John & Thomas Fuller Executors to the estate: late in the hand of Hannah Fuller Deceased, Vid Hannah Ware, Nathanael Chickring, John Fuller, Thomas Fuller, Michael Metcalfe, Joseph Bullard, John Bullard, Mathew Tomblin, John Woodcock, John & Willi Eaton, Samvel Aldridge, John Rice, Vid

Hannah Aldridg, Eben Ware, Andraw Dewing, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, James Kingsbery, John Becon, Jonathan Dewing, Samvel Bacon, Thomas Battele, Joseph Ellis Señ, Vid Sarah Day, Vid Marcy Colburn, John Draper, Isaac Chinory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, John Mason, Ebenezer Braket, Josiah Newel the totall 03^{lb}—18^{s}—11^{d}

This later part of Said rate is commited into the hand of Benj Colburn Constable to colect

(279) Febrvary the 26: 170½ Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & William Avery

Reckoned with Peter Woodward lat Constable and there remains Dve to the Town from said Constable on account of the Town Rate three pounds five shillings and three pence 03—05—03

Whereof a bill of six shillings is given to Samvell Whitting

This Day Reckoned with Barakiah Lewis late Constable on account of Rats Commited into said Constables hand to Colect & all accounts are even between the Town and said Constable

also Reckoned with Nathanael Farington Constable on account of a rat made for the schoole and procuring one barill of pouder and there remains Dve to the Town on account of said Rate fourteen shillings & a peny 00—14—1

and on account of a Rate to defray Town Debts and Charges and there is Dve to the Town from said Constable on account of said Rate one pound thirteen shillings and eleven penc 01 13 11

This one pound thirteen and eleven pence is payed by N Farington

Likewis Reckoned with Benjamin Colburn Constable on account of the schoole and pouder rate & there remains Dve to the Town from said Constable on that account fifteen shillings and six pence 00—15—06

and on account of the Rate to defray Town Debts and Charges and there remains Dve to the Town from said Constable on that account two pounds one shillings and a peny 02—01—01

March the 2: 1702 Att a Generall meeting of the freeholders and other Inhabitants qvalified as the law Directs to act in Choyce of Town officers and propriators of the Common or undivided lands being assembled: Elections of Town Officers are as foloweth

William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the selectmen for the year Ensuing Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Thomas Fuller & Joseph Faierbanke Selectmen Thomas Hall & Thomas Clap are Chosen Constables Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer

Deacon Thomas Metcalfe Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery Nathanaell Richards John Smith Benj Mills Señ Sargt Josiah Fisher John Bacon & Peter Falls Sirvaiers of Highways

John Baker Vigelence Fisher Boaz Browne Joseph Ellis Juñ Barakiah Lewis Tithing men

Jonathan Fuller Tho Metcalfe Deacons son John Gay Señ John Paine John Rice fence vewers

Samvell Everit Jeremiah Woodcock Caleb Pond John Fisher field Drivers

Asahell Smith sealer of leather

This 2 day of March abovesaid It was put to the vote of the Town whither the sides of the meeting house below that are Vacant without seats: that persons being Inhabitants in this Town of Dedham shall have liberty to erect pues therein at their own Charge: such persons as the Commity to be Chosen for that purpos shall alow and aprove of: This was answered in the afirmative

The ninth day of this Instant march was appoynted for a Generall meeting of the Inhabitants and propriators and publick notis thereof was given in the Town meeting

(280) March the 9th 1702 Att a generall meeting of the Town it was put to the vote of the Town whither there shall be one Pwe made upon the platforme on the south side of the meeting house at the westerly end of said platforme: and two Convenient seats for women upon the other part thereof Said seats to be open at both ends and the fore seat to have banisters and doors this was Answered in the Afirmative

It was also put to the Town whither there shall be one Pwe made upon the platforme on the North side of the meeting house at the west end: and two Convenient seats for women upon the other part of said platforme said seats to be open at both ends and the fore seat to have banisters and doors This was answered in the Afirmative

It was further put to the Town whither the short seats by the Pulpet steirs in the south west Corner of the meeting house shall be made into Convenient seats for Boyes this was likewise answered in the affirmative

it was likewis put to the Vote of the Town whither they doe grant fifteen pounds in money to be raised upon the Town to Carye on the work in repayering the meeting house this was answered in the affirmative

It was also put to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of sixteen pounds to defray Debts dve from the Town this was answered in the affirmative

It was put to the Town whither they doe grant to Capt Daniell Fisher that ten shillings whitch he is Charged with upon the Town Book upon Reckoning with him as Constable this was answered in the affirmative upon his declaring to the Town that he doe exept it as sattisfaction for his service in gathering the arrears of the Country Rate

likewis the Town by their vote declare that they grant to Peter Woodward the remainder of the three pounds five shillings and three pence which Said Peter Woodward stands Charged with in the Town book upon Reckoning Fith him as Constable upon said Peters paying twenty shilling thereof unto the vse of the Town provided he exept thereof as Sattiafaction for his Service in gathering the arrears of the Country Rate

May 5th 1702 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller and William Avery select men and By vertve of a Precept from the sheriff of this County of Suffolk gave forth a warrant to the Constables of this Town of Dedham to Reqvire the Inhabitants & freeholders to meet on munday the Eleventh of this Instant May to Choos a Representative or Representatives for the year ensuing and also to bring in to the selectmen a list of all their ratable estate both reall and personall upon said Eleventh day of May as the law directs

May 11th The Inhabitants & freeholders being met Chose and deputed Capt Daniell Fisher their Representative for the year Ensuing

Assembled this eleventh day of may abouesaid Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbanks Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen

And then Chose & deputed Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery and Michael Metcalfe to run the line & renew the bound mark between Watertown & Dedham with such of Watertown as are deputed thereunto

(281) May 20th 1702 Asembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller & William Avery select men after lectur

This day Andraw Wodkins was Caled before said selectmen & warned to depart out of This Town and that the selectmen did disalow him for to settle himself as an Inhabitant in this Town of Dedham

June 6th 1702 The salary as it is proportioned upon perticuler persons with ten pounds to procur Wood the whole being seventy pounds [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Boaz Browne, John Huntting Sen, Capt John Everit, Timothy Whitting, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Hering, Vigelence , Ezra Morse, Samvell Holms, Benjmin Onion, John Huntting Jun, John Deane Sen, Robert Avery, James Maknab, Samvell Whitting, Joshva Fisher Sen, John Gay Jun, Samll & Timo Gay, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Joseph Ellis Jun, William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbank, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Colburn, William Avery Sen, William Avery Jun, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Everit Jun, Leut Samvell Gvild, Asahell Smith, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gvild Jun, John Richards, Michael Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Jun, Joseph Daniels, John Parker, John Alldis, Thomas Battele, James Emmery, Nathanal Colburn, John Colburn, John Colburn Jun, Jonath Faier-

banks Juñ, Vid Hannah Whitting, John Ellis, Eleazer Fisher, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvell Everit, John Farington, Nath Farington, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Makerwithe, Samvell Thorp, James Falls Juñ, Richard Trusdell, James Makerwithe Juñ, Jonath Whitting, Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanael Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nath Richards, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Sen, Comfort Starr, Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Daniell Larance, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonath Dewing, John Paine, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Ben!min Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, John Deane Juñ, David Emes, Robert Cooke, Michael Dwight, Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Vid Lidia Chickring, Nathanll Bullard, Nath Kingsbury, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sargt Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, John Gill, James Kingsbery, John Baker Señ, John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, John Fuller, Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Ware, Vid Sarah Day, John & William Eaton, Edward Cooke, Nath Chickring, Thomas Paine, Ebenezer Brakit, Samvell Wodkins, John Baker Juñ, William Everit totall 70 7 0

(282) Dedham June 16th 1702 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller & Wm Avery select men to proportion the Town Rats agreed upon by the Town March 9th 1702

An assessment to defray Town Debts wherein each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows containing follo wing numes, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Deacon & Tho Metcalfe, Ens Boaz Browne, John Huntting Señ, Capt John Everit, Timothy Whitting, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Hering, Vigelence Fisher, Exra Morse, Samvell Holms, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting juñ, John Deane Señ, James Maknab, Ens Robert Avery, Samvell Whitting, Joshva Fisher Señ, John Gay Juñ, Samll & Timo Gay, Jonath Metcalf, John Metcalf, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbank, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Colburn, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Everit Juñ, Leut Samvell Gvild, Asahel Smith, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gvild Juñ, John Richards, Nath Colburn, John Colburn Señ, John Colburn Juñ, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Michael Dwight, James Falls Señ, Vid Hannah Whitting, John Ellis, Eleazer Fisher, William Robins, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvell Everit, John Farington, Eleazer Clap, Ralph Freeman Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Nath Farington, Samvell Thorp, James Falls Juñ, John Fuller Juñ, Richard Trusdel,

John Makerwithe, Jonathan Whitting, Peter Falls, Jonath Boyden Sen, Jonath Bo, den Juñ, John Alldis, William Everit, John Deane Juñ
The totall 8—7—6

This first part of the Town rate is Commited into the hand of Thomas Clap Constable to Colect with a warrant Requiring & athorizing him to Colect & pay in the same

Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanael Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nathanael Richards, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Señ, Comfort Starr, Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Señ, Daniell Larance, Vid Hannah Alldridg, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, John Paine, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Michael Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Joseph Daniels, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, (283) Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Vid Lidia Chickring, Nathanael Bullard, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sarg[t] Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Baker Señ, John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, John Fuller Señ, Samvell Alldridg, Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Ware, Vid Sarah Day, John & William Eaton, Nathan[ll] Chickring, Thomas Paine, Joseph Bullard, Thomas Battele, John Draper, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, John Mason, Ebenezer Braket, Samvell Wodkins, John Bullard, John Baker Juñ.

The totall 8—14—08 This later part of the Town rate is Commited into the hand of Thomas Hall Constable with a warrant requiring and atherizing him to colect and pay in the same

An assessment made to Cary on the work in repayering the meeting house granted by Said Town of Dedham the 9th day of March 1702 aforsaid wherein each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name as folowet [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Ens Boaz Browne, John Huntting Señ, Capt John Everit, Timothy Whitting, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Hering, Vigelence Fisher, Ezra Morse, Samvell Holms, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Juñ, John Deane Señ, James Maknab, Ens Robert Avery, Samvell Whitting, Joshva Fisher Señ, John Gay Juñ, Samvell & Tim Gay, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbanks, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Colburn, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Everit Juñ, Leu[t] Samvell Gvild, Asahel

Smith, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gvild Juñ, John Richards, Nath Colburn, John Colburn Sen, John Colburn Juñ, Jonath Faierbanks, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Michael Dwight, James Falls Señ, John Ellis, Vid Hannah Whitting, Eleazer Fisher, William Robins, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvell Everit, John Farington, Eleazer Clap, (284) Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Makerwithe, Nath Farington, Samvell Thorp, James Falls Juñ, John Fuller Juñ, Richard Trusdell, James Makerwithe Jun, Jonathan Whitting, Peter Falls, John Alldis, William Everit, John Deane Jun.

The totall 7—3—5 this first part of this meeting house rate is in the hand of Thomas Clap Constable with a warrant according to law Reqviring and atharising him to Colect and pay in the same

Capt Daniel Fisher, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanaell Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nathanaell Richards, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Sen., Comfort Starr, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Sen., Daniell Larance, Vid Hannah Alldridg, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, John Payne, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Michall Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Jun., Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen., Benjamin Mills Jun., Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Vid Lidia Chickring, Nathan^{ll} Bullard, Nath Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sarg^{t} Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Baker Sen, John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, John Fuller Sen., Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Ware, Vid Sarah Day, John & Willi: Eaton, Nathan^{ll} Chickring, Thomas Paine, Joseph Bullard, Thomas Battele, John Draper, Ebenezer Braket, Samvell Wodkins, John Bullard, John Baker Jun.

The Totall 7—16—10 This second part of the meeting house rate is in the hand of Thomas Hall Constable with a warrant according to law Reqviring and atharising him to Colect and pay in the same

(285) John Fuller, Nathanaell Gay and John Smith being the Commity appoynted to lay out a High way from the Town to the lower falls in Charls River have made return of their performing that work which high way is entred in the Book of grants with other high ways: said return beres Date March the 6th 1698-9

July 20th 1702 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbanks Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen

To make the Countrey Rate The Country Rate is proportioned to petticuler persons as foloweth the totall sum thereof is seventy pounds four

shillings [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Ens Boaz Browne, John Huntting Sen, Capt John Everit, Timothy Whitting, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Hering, Vigelence Fisher, Ezra Morse, Samvell Holms, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Jun., John Deane, James Makenab, Ens Robert Avery, Samvell Whitting, Joshva Fisher Sen., John Gay Jun., Samvell & Timothy Gay, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Joseph Ellis Jun, William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbank, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Colburn, William Avery Sen., William Avery Jun, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Everit Jun., Leut Samvell Guild, Asahel Smith, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gnild Jun., John Richards, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn Sen., John Colburn Jun., Jonathan Faierbank Jun., Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Michaell Dwight, Vid Hannah Whitting, James Falls Sen., John Ellis, Eleazer Fisher, William Robins, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvell Everit, John Farington, Eleazer Clap, Nathanaell Farington, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Makerwithe, Samvell Thorp, James Falls Jun., John Alldis, John Fuller Jun., Richard Trusdell, James Makerwithe Jun., Jonathan Whitting, Peter Falls, Jonathan Boyden Sen., Jonathan Boyden Jun., William Everit, John Deane Jun.

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanael Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nathanael Richards, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Sen., Comfort Starr, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Sen., Daniell Larance, Vid Hannah Alldridg, John Fuller Sen, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, John Paine, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Michael Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Jun., Joseph Daniels, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen., Benjamin Mills Jun, Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Vid Lidia Chickring, (286) Thomas Battele, John Baker Jun., Jonathan Eaton, Nathanaell Bullard, Nathanael Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sargt Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, John Gill, James Kingsbery, John Baker, John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, Samvell Alldridg, Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Weare, Vid Sarah Day, John & Willi Eaton, Nathanaell Chickring, Joseph Bullard, John Draper, Isaac Chinory Sen., Isaac Chinory Jun., John Mason, Ebenezer Braket, John Bullard.

Avgust 24th 1702 Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith, Joseph Faierbank & Wm Avery to proportion the schoole Rate wherein each perticuler persons proportion thereunto is prefixed to their name as foloweth: to be

payed in money [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Deacon & Thomas Metcalfe, Ens Boaz Browne, John Huntting Sen., Capt John Everit, Timothy Whitting, Jonathan Fullar, Thomas Hering, Vigelence Fisher, Ezra Morse, Samvell Holms, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Jun., John Deane Sen., James Makenab, Ens Robert Avery, Samvell Whitting, Joshva Fisher Sen., John Gay Jun., Samvell & Tim Gay, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Joseph Ellis Jun., William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbank, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Colburn, William Avery Sen., William Avery Jun, Daniell Alldis, William Bullard, John Everit Jun., Leut Samvell Gvild, Asahel Smith, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gvild Jun., John Richards, Nath Colburn, John Colburn Sen., John Colburn Jun., Jonath Faierbank Jun., Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Michael Dwight, James Falls Sen., John Ellis, Vid Hannah Whitting, Eleazer Fisher, William Robins, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvell Everit, John Farington, Eleazer Clap, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Makerwithe, Nath Farington, Samvell Thorp, James Falls Jun, John Fuller, Jun., Richard Trusdel, Peter Falls, John Alldis, William Everit, John Deane June, James Makerwithe Jun,, Jonathan Whitting the totall sum 7 14 05

This first part of the schoole Rate is commited into the hand of Thomas Clap Constable to Colect with a warrant according to law to Reqvierer & athories him thereunto

(287) Capt Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanaell Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nathanael Richards, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Sen., Comfort Starr, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Sen., Daniell Larance, Vid Hannah Alldridg, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, John Paine, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Michaell Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Jun., Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen., Benjamin Mills Jun., Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Vid Lidia Chickring, Nathanaell Bullard, Nath Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sg^{t} Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbury, John Baker Sen., John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, John Fuller Sen., Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Willson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Ware, Vid Sarah Day, John & Wm Eaton, Nath Chickring, Thomas Paine, Joseph Bullard, Thomas Battele, John Draper, Ebenezer Braket, Samvell Wodkins, John Bullard, John Baker Jun. the totall sum 7 16 10

This latter part of the schoole Rate is Commited into the hand of Thomas Hall Constable to Colect with a warrant according to law to Requier and atherise him thereunto

Assembled December the 4th 1702 Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Thomas Fuller Joseph Faierbank & William Avery To make a County Rate by vertve of a warrant from the Court of Generall sessions of the peace baring date the fourteenth day of November 1702: of five pounds ten shilling and is proportioned upon the perticuler inhabitants of this Town as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Tim Dwight, Peter Woodward, Thomas Metcalfe, Boaz Browne, John Huntting Sen, Capt John Everit, Timo Whitting, Jonath Fuller, Tho Hering, Vige Fisher, Ezra Morse, Sam Holmes, Benj Onion, John Huntting, Jun., Wm Avery Sen., John Deane sen., James Maknab, Ens Robert Avery, Sam Whitting, Joshva Fisher Sen., John Gay Jun., Sam & Timo Gay, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Joseph Ellis Jun., William Makintosh, Joseph Faierbank, Joseph Hartshorn, Peter Thorp, Samvell Stearns, Benj Colburn, William Avery Jun., Daniell Aldis, William Bullard, John Everit Jun., Leut Samvel Gvild, Asahell Smith, Sgt Josiah Fisher, Samvell Gvild Jun., John Richards, Nath Colburn, John Colburn sen, John Colburn Jun., Jonath Faierbank, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Michael Dwight, James Falls Sen, John Ellis, Eleaz Fisher, William Robins, John Haws, Barakiah Lewis, Samvel Everit, John Farington, Eleazer Clap, Nath Farington, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Makerwithe, Samvell Thorp, James Fall Jun., John Fuller Jun., Jams Makerwithe Jun., Peter Falls. Jonath Boyden Sen., Jonath Boyden Jun., John Alldis, William Everit, John Deane Jun., (288) Daniell Fisher, Thomas Fisher, John Rice, Nathanaell Gay, Thomas Hall, Samvell Ware, Nathanaell Richards. Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Ockinton, Joseph Ellis Sen., Comfort Starr, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery, John Battele, John Gay Sen., Daniell Larance, Vid Hannah Alldridge, Thomas Fuller, Ebenezer Ware, Jonathan Dewing, John Paine, Joseph Haws, Nathanaell Haws, Michaell Metcalfe, Joshva Fisher Jun., Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen., Benjamin Mills Jun., Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Josiah Newell, Jonathan Battele, Daniell Draper, Mathew Tomblin, Nathanaell Bullard, Nathan Kingsbery, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Sgt Joseph Colburn, Eleazer Ellis, Ephram Ware, John Gill, James Kingsbery, John Baker Sen., John Woodcock, Anne & Jabez Pond, Joseph Smith, Caleb Pond, Samvell Bacon, Amos Fisher, John Smith, John Fuller Sen., Samvell Aldridg, Andraw Dewing, John Bacon, Mathias Ockinton, Ephram Wilson, Daniell Wight, Jeremiah Woodcock, Vid Hannah Ware, Vid Sarah Day, John & Wm Eaton,

Nathanaell Chickring, Joseph Bullard Sen., John Draper, Isaac Chinory Sen., Isaac Chinory Jun., John Mason. Ebenezer Braket, Samvell Wodkins, John Bullard, John Baker Jun.

This County rate is Commited to Thomas Clap and Thomas Hall Constables to Colect with a warrant to each of said Constab— Requiring them to Colect and pay in the same to the County Treasurer at the time prefixed by the Court of Generall sessions of the peace of this county of Suffolk

febrvary the 8th 170⅔ Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahell Smith Joseph Faierbank, Thomas Fuller and William Avery select men

Vpon the desier of John Fuller John Smith & John Rice that there may be a way layed out to their Medows from the vpland to Powells Iland and over the Said Iland to Wilsons Iland the Select men have Chosen and Deputed Asahell Smith and Thomas Fuller to lay out said way So as may be most Convenient for the persons Concerned therein and as littel pregudishal to perticuler propriator as may be

febrvary 22 170⅔ Assembled Leut Samvell Gvild Asahel Smith Joseph Faierbank

Vpon tne desier of Nathanaell Bullard of liberty to fence in the old high way lying throw his land by the place called the old mill leading over the River The select men in answar to his desier grant him liberty to take in said high way within his fence till sutch time as the Town see cause to call for it

Vpon the Complaint by the sirveiers that the way from the old saw mill to the seder Swamp and to the medows is not layed out the select men have Chose Capt Daniell Fisher & John Deane a Comity to lay out said way

febrvary 24th 1702 by vertve of a precept reqviring the Choys of a Representative The freeholders & other Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham upon Dve notes given them met & Choos Capt Daniell Fisher their Representative

(289) March 1 170⅔ Att a Generall Meeting of the freeholder and other Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham qvalefied according to law to act in Town afaiers being met at the time and place apoynted to Choos Town Officers and to attend other Town and propriators busines

Elections of Town Officers are as foloweth Leut Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller Select men & William Avery Town Clerk and one of the Select men John Deane & Ezra Morse Constables Leut Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer

Samvell Gay John Gay Jonathan Gay Jonathan Fuler Thomas Fisher James Makenab & Thomas Fuller survayers of high ways

John Fuller Jonathan Fuller Nathanaell Richards Benjamin Onion & Thomas Metcalfe Sen. fence vewers

Benjamin Onion Comfort Starr Joseph Ellis Jun. and Barakiah Lewis Tithing men

Samvell Everit John Fisher Jeremiah Woodcock field Drivers

Asahell Smith sealer of lether

The Town Treasurer move to the Town for sattisfaction for his Service as Town Treasurer: It was thereupon put to Town whither they will give him twenty shillings for that service for time past this was answared by vote of the Town in the Afirmative whereupon said Treasurer declered himselfe Content to tak up sattisfied therewith for his service for time past It being neer night & severall out Town men haveing been waiting for an opertunity to present their desiers to the Town: the Town by a full vote did extend their present meeting two hours longer then the ordenery appoynted time:

Thomas Fisher declaring to the Town that he cannot find arecord of an acre of swamp which was granted him & which he has long posesed the Town by vote grant him liberty to have said acre of Swamp recorded to him in the Book of grants

Vpon a motion made by John Turner of Medfield to have his Medow recorded to him which he purchased of the Town The Town thereupon Chose Capt Daniell Fisher John Fuller Asahel Smith & John Deane a Commity to inqvier and serch into that case & to make report thereof to the Town at their next meeting: & Asahel Smith & Robert Avery a commity to vewe the way by the old mill leading over Charls River & make report thereof to the Town

March 8th 170$\frac{2}{3}$ att a Generall meeting of the Inhabitants and propriators of this Town of Dedham upon dve notis given

Its put to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of eighteen pounds to be raised to defray the Debts and Charges of the Town: the Town answare by vote in the Afirmative

It was also put to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of twenty two pounds ten shillings to be raised upon the Town towards payment of a Schoole master this was granted in the aformative by the vote of the Town.

It was put to the Town whither they Continew of the mind that ther shall be two long seats made on each side of the meeting house Joyning to the two pews or whither the whole shall be made into pews the Town by a full vote declare there mind is that it shall be made into pews

(290) This 8 day of March aforesaid: It was further put to the Town whither they desier and Impower the Comity which they have Imployed to make enlargement of Convenient seats in the meeting house still to goe on to make seat for boyes and girls as they may or shall Judge most Comly and Convenient.

It was also put to the Town whither they will Choos a Comity to place the Congregation in the Meeting house this was Answared by Vot in the Afirmative The Commity to seat persons in the Meeting house are as foloweth Capt Timothy Dwight Capt Daniell Fisher Leut Samvell Gvild Deacon Joseph Wight Sargt Josiah Fisher Sargt Joseph Colburn and William Avery

The Commity appoynted & Impowered by the Town to make sale of the schoole farme give an account to the Town that they have Received the money for it and are redy to deliver it to such as the Town shall appoynt to Receive it The Town by their vot declare that there mind is that the Commity which they have formerly Chosen to take care of the Improvement of the schoole money for the benifit of the schoole doe likewise call for Receive and Improve this money which is procured by the sale of the above Said Schoole farme for the use and benifit of the schoole also And whereas Deacon Thomas Metcalfe that was one of the Commity Impowerd in that Ceare and trust is now Deceased The Town by their vot have Chosen William Avery to be one of Said Commity to Joyne with Leut Samvell Gvild and Nathanaell Gay in that power and trust which is Imposed upon them in reference to Said Schoole money

The Town being enformed that there is a house erected upon the Common land of the Town: they doe thereupon by their vot declear that their will is that the Commity Chosen to lay out lands shall have no power to lay out the land where upon said house stands to any propriator of this Town without the approbation of the Town or the select men

Mr Timothy Dwight & Benjamin Mills enforming the Towne of a diferance between them, upon account of a small perciell of medow which Mr Dwight has taken up which said Benjamin aprehend to be medow which was formerly laid out to Mr Benjamin Bunker which said Mills has purchesed

The Town there upon have Chosen Capt Daniell Fisher John Fuller and Asahel Smith a Commity to vewe Said medow and if they doe not find Sufficient medow there to answer both their grants then to lay out to either of them what appears to the Said Commity to be their Just dve

It being neer night the Town by their vot doe lengthin out their meeting two or three hours beyond the usiall appoynted time

John Turner of Meadfield haveing apployd himselfe to the Town for the entring of the grant of his medow which he formerly purchesed of the Town: which for anything he can find hath hitherto been neglected The Town by their Vot declear that said medow shall be recorded

Thomas Hering presenting to the Town & propriators the copy of grants of land to be layed out the Town by their Vot doe Impower and appoynt the Commity Chosen to lay out other lands to lay out the Same and to make return thereof to be recorded

Robert Avery make reqvest for a suply of land to make up what is wanting in his lot at the dead swamp which is cut short in measure by the Clavebord tree lots and the lots layed out in the dead Swamp: There upon the Town and propriators appoynt the Commity that are to lay out land: to lay out to Said Robert Avery So much land where it may be found Convenient for him as will make reasonable Sattisfaction for what is wanting in said lot

(291) It was also presented to the Town that the lote formerly layed out to Peter Woodward which was disposed of to the Rev^{d} M^{r}. William Addams has been Neglected to be Recorded The Town and propriators doe there upon grant liberty for the entering & recording thereof as it shall be made to appear by the quantaty and abuttelments by the plat or draft thereof also the brushey medow layed out to Mr Wm Addams

John Baker make a motion to the Town and propriators to have a way granted him to his land where he is about to build for his Son: the Town by their vot grant him liberty to have a way layed out and that it shall be Sattisfied for by common land to be layed out by the Commity appoynted to lay out said way

Vpon the desier of William Robins of saw mill that men may be appoynted in the beha— of the Town To run the line with him between the land of the Town & said Robinses land The Town thereupon have Chosen Asahell Smith and John Deane to act therein: in the behalfe of the Town

Joseph Ellis Señ desiering liberty in fencing in his medow at Rock medow to run his fence over sum corners of upland that will give him advantage in shortining his fence the Town by there vot grant him liberty so to doe

Severall of the owners of lots in Meadfield devident that have their lots shortened by the new stating of the line between Dedham and Natick move for Sattisfaction whereupon the Town and propriators appoynt and Impowe— the Commity that are to lay out land in the Devidents granted to vew said lots and make sattisfaction out of the Common lands of the Town according as they shall find the lots damnefied acre for acre provided the owners of said lots will be at the Charge of the Commity in laying it out

March 24 Afsembled after Lectur Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller and William Avery select men

John Smith & John Rice are Chosen a Commity to lay out a high way from great Plaine to Birch plaine to the southeast corner of Joseph Hawses lot and strait up by his house to Striffe medow Brook at the Common weading place

Sarg^{t} Joseph Colburn & Benjamin Onion are chosen a commity to lay out away to the land of John Baker where he is about to build for his Son

said way to be layed out from the Highway leading to Medfield between the land of Joseph Ellis son and Nathanaell Kingsbery to the way layed out at the Clavebordtrees upon fox Hill to be sattisfied for out of the Common land of the town

Aprill 1: 1703 Assembled Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller and William Avery select men

This Day the Deacons delivered in an account to the said selectmen of such as are behind in paying their proportions to our pasters Salary

this day is Commited into the hand of John Deane Constable a list of the names and sums dve from severall persons that ware behind to said salary the total sum thereof is 18^{lb}—10^{s}—11^{d}

also an other list Commited into the hand of Ezra Morse Constable of such as ware behind in the salary the total sum thereof is 14^{lb}—18^{s}—5^{d} Said lists Commited into both sd Constables hands to colect with a warrant to each of them according to law reqviring and athorising the said Constables to colect the same

March 3: 1704 this Day Reckoned with John Deane and Ezra Morse Constables on account of the listes of arrear of such persons as ware behind in paying their proportion to our pasters Salary and said Constables have payed in the whole sum totall of said listes Commited into said Constables hands to Colect

(292) June 8 1703 Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbanks Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen To make the schoole Rate which is proportioned to the perticuler Inhabitance as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Jun., William Avery Sen., William Avery Jun., Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Sam Holmes, Jonath Fuller, Tho Metcalfe Sen., Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank Jun., Timothy Whitting, Sam Whitting, Ezra Morse, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, Sam Thorp, John Colburn Jun., Michael Dwight, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benja Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Sen, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Jun., Sam^{ll} & Timo Gay, David Eames, William Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorne, John Everit Jun., William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Haws, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Jun., Capt John Everit, Samvell Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Sam^{ll} Gvild, Eleazer Fales, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, John Gay Jun., James Makerwithe Jun., Joshva Fisher Jun. total 12—12—8

This first part of the schoole rate is Commited in to the hand of John Deane Constable to Colect with a warrant reqviring & athorising him to Colect & pay in the same

Cap[t] Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Sen., Caleb Pond, Nath Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nath Richards, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu[t] Joseph Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Sen., Ebenezer Ware, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, Josiah Newel, Isaac Chinnory Sen, Isaac Chinnory Jun, Daniell Draper, John Deane Sen, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, John Fisher, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benj Mills Sen., Benj Mills Jun, Sam Mills, William Mills, John Smith Sen, John Smith Jun, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samuell Bacon, Samuel Alldridge, Robert Cok, Samuel Parker, Thomas Ockinton, John Baker Sen, John Baker Jun, Nathaniel Gay, Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbury, Vid Sarah Day, Amos Fisher, John & Will: Eaton, Samuel Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sag[t]: Eleazer Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Sen: Vid Hannah Aldridge, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Josiah Kingsbery. total 11—4—4

This later part of the schoole rate is Commited into the hand of Ezra Morse Constable to Colect with a warrant reqviring and athorizing him to Collect and pay in the Same

(293) June 14th 1703 Assembled Cap[e] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher Sarg[t] Joseph Faierbank & Willi Avery selectmen

Whereas there is a house erected upon the Common land of this Town of Dedham upon notis thereof given to the propriators of this Town at their generall meeting in march last past. Said propriators pased an act to prohibit the Commity appoynted to lay out land from laying out the land upon which said house stands without perticuler liberty given them from the Town or selectmen.

and said land being taken up by such as have alot in our Town under a mistake of the place where their lot lay said selectmen doe grant liberty and doe approve that the abovesaid Commity may lay out to the person that have so entred upon said land so much of said land as doe appear he have a Just right to in the devidents allredy granted which he may procur or purches that so the Town or builder of said house be not unnessesserely damnefied

June 22: 1703 Assembled Cap[t] Samvell Gvild Sarg[t] Josiah Fisher Sarg[t] Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller & Willi Avery selectmen To proportion our pasters salary wherein perticuler persons proportion thereunto is

prefixed to their names as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holmes, Jonath Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank, Samvell Whitting, Timothy Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn Señ, Michael Dwight, John Colburn Juñ, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benj Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewes, John Farington, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, Samll & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, John Fisher, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Nathanall Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Joseph Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, James Falles Juñ, Jonathan Whitting, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Robert Cooke, Thomas Ockinton, Leut John Baker Señ, John Baker Juñ, Jonathan Dewing, Joseph Haws, Thomas Paine, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills William Mills, Joseph Mills, Ephram Ware, Nathanaell Gay, Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, Vid Sarah Day, Amos Fisher, John & William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sargt Eleaz Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton, Samvell Thorp, Mathew Tomblin, Ebenezer Braket, Joseph Barber.

(294) June 28 1703 Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Joseph Faierbank & Wm Avery selectmen To make the Town Rate wherein each perticuler persons proportion is prefixed to their names as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis, Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Jun, Joseph Faierbank, James Makenab, Samvell Holmes, Jonathan Faierbank, Thomas Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Tim-

othy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn Señ, Michaell Dwight, John Colburn Juñ, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Vigelence Fisher, Benjamin Colburn, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, John Everit Juñ, Jonathan Fuller, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvell Everit, William Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, John Ellis, Asahell Smith, Ebenezer Fales, Samvell & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Sam Thorp. the total 11—6—8

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Sen, Caleb Pond, Nathanaell Bullard. Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanaell Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Isaac Chinory Señ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Thomas Fuller, Mathias Ockinton, Ebenezer Braket, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, William Mlils, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Sen, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cooke (295) Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leu^{t} John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanael Gay, Comfort Starr, Timo Kingsbery, Vid Sarah Day, Amos Fisher, John & Wm Eaton, Isaac Chinory Jun, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} Elea Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michael Metcalfe, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathew Tomblin, Joseph Barber, John Smith Juñ. the totall 10—0—10

The Copy of the return of a Committy Chosen by the Town the first of march 170⅔ We whose names are under written being Chosen and appoynted a Commity by the propriators of the Town of Dedham the i of march 170⅔ to inqvier and Sarch into a matter brought to the propriators the day above said by the Heires of Leut Joshva Fisher refering to a percil of Medow abutting upon medfield line and medfield mill Brook runing through the same which said medow they lay blame unto: in the persuence of the trust Commited unto us we find that one lot in Medfield Devident is butted upon said medow Saying it is the medow of Joshva Fisher and one other lot in said Devident is said in the Town book to have the medow of

Joshva Fisher Runing through the same it being the medow above named further we take the boldness to give our Oppinion and advice in the matter depending above said as foloweth viz: that John Turner of Medfield have a grant of that twelve acres of medow there as it is alredy layed out to him; & all the remainder of said medow thereto be and remain to the Heires of Leu^{t} Joshva Fisher aforesaid and they to have a more perfect grant of said medow provided this may be a finall issve of the matter under Consideration

Asahel Smith
Daniel Fisher
John Deane
John Fuller

September 4th 1703 Assembled Sapt Sam^{ll} Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher & Wm Avery selectmen

The selectmen being sumoned to answer the presentment wherein our Town is presented for encrochments upon the highways in the Iland from the greet Bridge to the medows Said selectmen have thereupon ordered notis to be given to the survayes dweling neer that part of the Town to clear the ways and to remove sutch encrochments

(**296**) Dedham September 27th 1703 Assembled Capt Sam^{ll} Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen

To proportion the Country Rate as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe Señ, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank, Sarg^{t} Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanael Colburn, John Colburn Señ, John Colburn Juñ, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colbnrn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ensi Robert Avery, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, John Fuller Juñ, Thomas Heslop, John Ellis, William Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvel Clap, Jos Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Deane, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvel Gvild Juñ, Samvel Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Sam Guild, Ebenezer Fales, Asahel Smith, Sam & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Thomas Grant.

Capt Daniel Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Amos Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Nath Bullard, Daniel Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanael Richards, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Jos Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Sen, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newel, Isaac Chinory Sen, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Daniel Draper, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonath Dewing, Jonathan Gay, (297) John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjmin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, William Mills, Joseph Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cooke, Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanel Gay, Comfort Starr, Tim Kingsbery, Vid Sarah Day, John & Wm Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sargt Elea Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hañ Aldridg, Micheel Metcalfe, Tho Fuller, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton.

October 11th 1703 Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Sargt Joseph Faierbank, Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen

To proportion the Country Rate which is the same in Quantaty with the abovewritten and refers thereunto to Know every perticuler persons proportion therein

also to proportion a County Rate by vertve of a warrant from the Court of Generall sessions of the Peace for this County of Suffolk which is proportioned upon the perticuler Inhabitants as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Sargt Jos Faierbank, James Maknab, Sam Holms, Sam Thorp, Jonath Fuller, Tho Metcalfe Señ, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, Sargt Timo Whitting, Sam Whitting, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn Sen, John Colburn Juñ, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benj Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, Wm Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Benj Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, Willi Robins, Thomas Clap, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Jos Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvel Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Falls, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, Samll & Timo Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, John Fuller Juñ, Thomas Heslop, Thomas Grant.

The totall sum is 2—6—6 This part of the County Rate is Delivered into the hand of John Deane Constable to colect with a warrant reqving him to colect and pay in the whole by the last of November next to the County Treasurer October 17

(298) Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond. John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Nath Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanael Richards, Jeremiah Richards, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanael Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn, Nathan^{ll} Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Isaac Chinory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Mathias Ockinton, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, William Mills, Ephram Ware, Joseph Mills, Jeames Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cooke, Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leu^{t} John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanaell Gay, Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, Vid Sarah Day, Amos Fisher, John & William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridge, Michaell Metcalfe, Thomas Fullar, Josiah Kingsbery.

This part of the County Rate is Delivered into the hand of Ezra Morse Constable to Collect with a warrant Requvering him to Collect and pay in the same to the County Treasurer and to make up accompts of the whole at or before the last day of November next Delivered to said Constable October 12th 1703

November 3^{d}: 1703 Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher and William Avery selectmen

Vpon Information that a strainges John Ingules by name is about to settel him selfe upon some of the remot lands of our Town the select men have this day given out a warrant to the Constable to warne him to depart out of this Town & the precincts thereof

December 29th 1703 Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen

This day entred to John Deane Constable in a cirtificat to the treasurer four grown wolves and two wolves whelps the two welps Kiled by Indians: two grown wolves Kiled by Daniell Draper one by John Draper and the other by Benjamin Colburn

Janvary 10th 170$\frac{3}{4}$ Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Sargt Joseph Faierbank and William Avery selectmen

Reckoned with Nathanaell Farington Constable on account of all rates Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and there remains Dve only one pound thirteen shillings and six pence of the rate proportioned upon Cow Common rights 01—13—06

(299) Reckoned this 10 day of Janvary with Thomas Clap Constable on account of all Town rats Commited into Said Constables hand to Colect and there remains Dve only on account of the schoole rate nine shillings and two pence 00—09—02

Janvary 26: 170¾ Assembled after lecture Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^t^ Josiah Fisher Sarg^t^ Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller and William Avery selectmen

Joseph Faierbank is desiered to give notis to James Emmory that the selectmen do disalow him Keeping and entertaining the negro or malato Child in this Town of Dedham which is by him brought into Town

febrvary 18th 170¾ Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^t^ Josiah Fisher Sargt Joseph Faierbank Tho Fuller and William Avery selectmen

This Day Reckoned with Benjamin Colburn late Constable on account of the schoole rates Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and there remains Dve to the Town on account of said rates 01—4—5

Reckoned with said Constable on account of the Town Rate Commited in to said Constables hand to Colect and there remains Dve to the Town three shillings and nine pence 00—03—9

Reckoned also with said Benjamin Colburn Constable one account of an adition to the County Rate Commited into said Constables hand and there is Dve to the Town on that account fifty shillings 02—10—00

Reckoned with Thomas Hall late Constable on account of the meeting house rate and said Constable has Cleered the whole of said rate also Reckoned with said Constable on account of the Town rate Comited into the said Constables hand and there remains Dve to the Town on account of said rate one pound eight shillings & five pence 01—08—05

and Reckoned with Thomas Hall Constable on account of the schoole rate Commited into his hand and there remains Dve sixteen and ten pence 16^s^—10^d^

Received of Thomas Hall lat Constable on account of said rates above specefied ninteen shillings & four pence 19—4 Said ninteen shillings & four pence is delivered into the hand of Capt Sam^ll^ Gvild Town Treasurer

Joseph Faierbank this day make return to the selectmen that he gave notis to James Emory the 27 day of Janvary 170¾ that the selectmen doe disalow him Keeping or entertaining the Negro or malato Child which he has brought into town within this Town of Dedham

Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn & Sarg^{t} Benjamin Onion being deputed to lay out a High way from the way leading from Dedham to Medfield to the land of John Baker between the land of Joseph Ellis sen^{r} and Nath Kingsbery make their return as foloweth That they have layed a Cart way from Medfield road through the land of said Joseph Ellis and Nathanaell Kingsbery of two rods broad one rod being taken out of the land of said Joseph Ellis and one rode broad out of the land of said Nathanaell Kingsbery: Joseph Ellis is sattisfied for it by five acres of land at rock medow Abutting upon his own medow Northwest & upon Deacon Wights Medow towards the west and a way over Rock medow Brook & wast land on all other parts Nath Kingsbery is Sattisfied for it by three acres of land at [ ] uper end of his lot Incumpased with his own land on all parts

(**300**) febrvary 18th 170$\frac{3}{4}$ John Smith and John Rice being appoynted a commity to lay out a way from the west side of great Plaine over birtch medow and birtch plaine to the Common wading place over strife medow Brook make their return that they have layed out the way as foloweth from the great plaine to birch medow three rods broad then Crose birch medow and birch plaine to the south East Corner of Joseph Hawses lot and so westward along by the side of said lot Croseing through the southwest Corner of it two rods broad and so on to the Common wading place over strife medow brook three rods broad over the Brook.

Asahel Smith & Thomas Fullar being deputed a Commity to lay out a cart way to powels Island and wilsons Island make return of their actings thereon as foloweth That they have layed out a way (from the road leading from the new bridge to the house of Benjamin Mills) to Powels Island and over powels Island to wilson Island as it is staked out two rods broad a leading way

febrvary 23 170$\frac{3}{4}$ The selectmen being met upon the way leading to the place called the old mill did lay out a High way from thence over the land of Nathanaell Bullard about sixteen or twenty Rods where it is now Drawen down to the Brook and so forward between the land of Nathanaell Bullard and John Fuller to the land of Nathanaell Richards and other Common lands two rods broad

March 3 170$\frac{3}{4}$ Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank Thomas Fuller & William Avery

Capt Samvell Gvild & Sarg^{t} Joseph Faierbank make return of their laying out a high way to the medow of Jonathan Metcalfe in south medow as foloweth Said high way is layed out two rods wide From the way leading to purgatory Swamp through the land formerly granted to Sarg^{t} John Faierbank: by the south west corner of the land of William Avery into the land of Said Jonathan Metcalfe

This Day Reckoned with John Deane Constable on account of the Town rate Commited into said Constables hand to Colect & said Constable has Cleared on account of said rate

This day also Reckoned with Ezra Morse Constable on account of the Town rate and said Constable has cleared on account of said Rate

March 6th 170¾ Att a Generall meeting of the freeholders and other Inhabitants Qvalefied to act in Town affaires it being the time appoynted to Choos Town officers Elections are as foloweth

Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer

Asahell Smith Nathanaell Gay Thomas Fuller and Amos Fisher selectmen and William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk & one of the selectmen for the year Ensuing

Thomas Metcalfe & Nathanaell Kingsbery Constables

Nathanell Bullard Samvell Gay Vigelence Fisher tithing men

John Battele Joseph Ellis Juñ Joseph Faierbank Thomas Hall Michaell Metcalf Jeremiah Woodcock fence vewers

Sarg^t Benjamin Onion Clark of the market Asahell Smith sealer of lether

Capt John Everit Nathanaell Gay John Gay Señ Sarg^t Josiah Fisher John Parker Daniell Wight Joseph Ellis Juñ Thomas Fuller John Paine Joseph Hartshorn survayers of High wayes

(**801**) This sixth day of March beforesaid The Town taking into their Consideration the Inconvenince of Choosing both Constables in one part of the Town The Town thereupon by their vote declare there mind is that for the futter there shall be one Constable Chosen in the East end of the Town and the other in the west end of the Town and to devide according to the usiall deviding of the lists of assessment

John Rice Jos Haws Ephram Wilson Eleazer Fisher & Nathanaell Chickring field driver

The Town by their vot Declare they leave it with the Selectmen to be their assessar for the year ensuing

This Day the Commity Chosen to take care of the work in repairing and making inlargement in the meeting house did present their accounts to the Town and the Town by their vote Declare that they exept their accounts

The selectmen did this day appoynt the Town & propriators to meet upon munday the 13th of march next

March 13th 170¾ the Town being met according to their appoyntment the thirteenth of march abovesaid Chose John Fuller their Modarator

The Town being met the thirteenth day of March abovesaid did agree and by their modarator appoynt the Town and propriators to meet on the morrow being the fourteenth day of this instant March

At the generall meting of the Town the thirteenth of March above said severall of the Inhabitants declaring themselves dissatisfied with the Choyce of select men and that the election of said selectmen was elegall In consideration whereof it was this day put to the Town and they by their vote declar that the election of select men on March the 6th 170¾ is not legall and so not to their sattisfaction it being declared by thirty six vots in the then assembly and fourteen then assembled did not vote

March the 17th 170¾ Assembled Capt Samvell Gvild Sargt Josiah Fisher Thomas Fuller and William Avery select men

Vpon Consideration that the Town meeting in the sixth day of this Instant March was not legaly warned neither according to the direction of the law nor according to the former useg of this Town of Dedham Therefore said selectmen doe give order to the Town Clark to wright warrants to the Constables to warn a meeting according to law of the freeholders and other Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham qvalefied according to law to act in Town affaier to meet upon munday the twenty seventh day of this Instant march to Choos selectmen and Town officers and to attend other Town busine

March the 27th 1704 The Town of Dedham being generally met vpon notis given them by order of the selectmen and warrant to the Constables under the hand of the Town Clerk to Choos selectmen and Town Officers as the law directs & being warned by said Constables and met this twenty seventh day of march as abovesaid did nominat and Choos William Avery their Town Clerk and one of their selectmen for the year ensuing likewise Chose Capt Samvell Gvild John Fuller Thomas Fuller and Nathanaell Gay selectmen for the year ensuing also by their vote declared that they Choos the said selectmen their assessors for the year ensuing

Likewise Chose Capt Samvell Gvild their Town Treasurer for the year ensuing and made other elections as foloweth

Capt John Everit Samvell Gay Sargt Josiah Fisher John Gay Senr Daniell Wight Joseph Ellis Junr John Fisher Joseph Hartshorn & John Parker Survayers of High ways

Vigelence Fisher Benjamin Onion & Barakiah Lewis Tithing men

Thomas Metcalfe & Nathanaell Kingsbery Constables.

John Rice Eleazer Fisher Nathanaell Chickring field drivers

John Battele Joseph Ellis Jun̄ Sargt Joseph Faierbank Michaell Metcalfe Thomas Hall Jeremiah Woodcock fence vewers

William Bullard sealer of lether

(302) Aprill 3 1704 having received an order from the Selectmen of Roxbery to send men to Joyen with their men in runing the line between

Roxbery and Dedham Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay & William Avery selectmen have Chosen & appoynted Thomas Fuller & Benjamin Onion to attend said work in the behalfe of this Town of Dedham

Aprill the 17th 1704 Vpon apeticion put up to the Honoured Court of generall sessions of the peace for this County of Suffolk by such of the Inhabitants as were dissatisfied at the Objection that was against the election of selectmen on March the sixth 170$\frac{3}{4}$ and also being dissatisfied with the elections made on march the twenty seventh 1704 Said Honoured Court having heard the diffarence that did arise among the Inhabitants on account of both said elections did advise to Come to a new election of Town Officers and thereupon said Court did put forth a warrant directed to the Constables of Dedham reqviring them to give notis to the freeholders and other Inhabitants qvalefied according to law to act in Town affaiers to meet upon munday the seventeenth day of aprill 1704 to Choos selectmen and such other town officers as the law directs whereupon the Inhabitants being Duly warned did meet and Convene together upon said seventeenth day of aprill and by the major vote of Said assembly did Choos five selectmen a Town Clerk Constables Town Treasurer survayers of highways and other Town Officers all of which are perticulerly expresed as foloweth Asahel Smith Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay & Amos Fisher selectmen William Avery Town Clerk and one of the selectmen Thomas Metcalfe and Nathanaell Kingsbery Constables Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer Nathanaell Bullard Joseph Faierbank Joseph Colburn Vigelence Fisher Barakiah Lewis and Benjamin Onion Tithing men Capt John Everit Nathanaell Gay John Gay Señ Josiah Fisher John Parker Daniell Wight Joseph Ellis Juñ Thomas Fuller and Joseph Hartshorn surveyers of Highwayes John Battele Joseph Ellis Juñ Joseph Faierbank Thomas Hall Michaell Metcalfe and Jeremiah Woodcock fence vewers Asahel Smith sealer of lether John Rice Joseph Haws Eleazer Fisher and Nathanaell Chickring field Drivers the above named selectmen are Chosen assessors for the year ensuing The persons herein under named have Taken the oath to their severall Offices belonging being given in the presence of and by order from the select men Saving that John Deane Constable which ye take oath of a Constable befor Samll Lynde Justis Capt John Everit Nathanaell Gay Sargt Josiah Fisher Joseph Ellis Junr John Gay Señ Daniell Wight Thomas Fuller Joseph Hartshorn survayers of High ways

Joseph Faierbank Thomas Hall Joseph Ellis Juñ Michaell Metcalfe Jeremiah Woodcock fence vewers

Nathanaell Kingsbery John Deane Constable

Nathanaell Bullard Joseph Faierbank Leut Joseph Colburn Vigilence Fisher Benjamin Onion Barakiah Lewis Tithing men

John Rice Joseph Haws Eleazer Fisher Nath Chickring field Drivers

May 22: 1704 John Deane Took the oath of a Constable to serve in the steed of Thomas Metcalfe before Samvell Lynde Justis of the peace as appears by Certificat under the hand of Said Samvell Lynde one of her Majesties Justices of the peace for this County of Suffolk

(**303**) April 19th 1704 Assembled Asahell Smith Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay and William Avery select men after lecture

said selectmen did choos and appoynt Nathanaell Colburn and Ezra Morse to attend the work of runing the line between Dedham and Newtown and to meet with such as they shall appoynt to said work and to preambulate the bounds and renew the marks as the law directs in that case

Natick line run Likewise Chose and deputed Capt Daniell Fisher & Leut John Baker to run the line between Dedham and Natick also Thomas Fuller is Chosen to Joyn with the men above named

May 9th 1704 Assembled Asahell Smith Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher & William Avery select men

This Day a warrant is given to Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable to warne a Town meeting to choos a Representative & to grant money dve from the Town and for the maintinance of the school

Also this Day the selectmen Received an account of the Deacons of such perticuler persons as are yet behind in paying their dve proportions to our Rdpasters salary for the year 1703

Medfield line run Likewise Chose and appoynted Capt John Everit Leut Joseph Colburn to run the line between Dedham and Medfield and to remew the bounds Marks

Wrentham & Mendon line run And Capt Samvell Gvild Joseph Ellis Junr to run the line between Dedham Wrentham and Mendon and to renew the Marks

Vpon a motion made by severall of the Inhabitants to have a way layd out from the Town by the house of Nath Haws to the Rock medow Brook and over the Brook Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery & Benjamin Colburn are Chosen to vew the place and Receive the best Information they can of what nessesaty or Convenience there will be of a way there and to mak report thereof to the Town at their next meeting

May 15th 1704 At a generall meeting of the Town upon Dve notis given them to Choos a Representative and to atend other Town and propriators busines

Persuent to a precept Reqviring the same: the Town by the Major part of the Electors present Chose Capt Daniell Fisher their Representative to serve for and Represent them in the great and generall Court appoynted

to be Convened Held and Kept for Her Majesties service at the Town house in Boston upon Wednesday the thirty first day of May Instant and so from day to day of their Sessions

Vpon the motion made by Thomas Metcalfe that the Town would exept of John Deane to serve in his room as Constable for the present year Said Metcalfe haveing agreed with said Deane & hyred him to serve in his roome the Town by their Major vote declared their exeptance of John Deane to serve as Constable in the roome & sted of Thomas Metcalfe for this present year

Vpon a motion made to the Town by severall of the Inhabitants to exchang the way leading to the landing place by the house of Joshva Fisher by laying Down said way to the Reu^{d} Mr Joseph Belchar Joshva Fisher and William Bullard to them their Heires and Assignes forever provided there be a good and sufficient way alowed granted and set out from the High street by the meeting House through the land of said Mr Joseph Belcher and Leu^{t} John Baker as they abuttle upon each other in part and the land of said John Baker and William Bullard in part Crosing through the North East Corner of s^{d} John Bakers orchard to the abovesaid landing place also provided the said William Bullard: him and his Heires and assignes doe make and maintaine the said way sufficiently to the above said landing place forever at their own Charge also provided that those Inhabitants whose lands are adjoyning to these ways above mentioned doe agree and Consent to the Exchaing of said way by the house of said Joshva Fisher and also agree in the deviding the land of the way so layed down amongst themselves this was answered by the vote of the Town in the afirmative

The Town did desier Capt Samvell Gvild & Joseph Ellis appoynted to run the line at the southwesterly bounds of our Town: to Inqvier into & bring an account of the ratable estat of such persons as live there within our bounds

(304) May 15th 1704 Att the before said meeting of the Town upon Complaint that there were brought into this Town of Dedham from other Towns cattell to be Kept upon our Common lands the Town by their Vot declare that they disalow any person Receiving in Cattill from any other Town to be Kept upon our Commons also Chose and aded to the field drivers formerly Chosen Robert Cooke to be a field driver that the Commons may be the better taken care of by them

The debts dve from the Town being this day presented to the Town and being exemaned it was put to the Town whither they doe grant the sum of thirty five pounds to be assesed and raised upon the Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham for the defraying of debts dve from said Town this was answered by the vot of the said Town in the Afirmative

likewise it was put to the Town whither they doe grant twenty pounds at present to be raised towards the maintinance of the schoole for this present year this was also answered in the afirmative

The Commity appoynted by the selectmen may the 9th to vew the place desiered for a way from the Town by the House of Nathanaell Haws did this day make report to the Town that they apprehend that there is nessesaty of a way there whereupon the Town did Choos and appoynt Leut Joseph Colburn & ade him to the former Commity viz Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery and Benjamin Colburn to lay out said way where it may be most Convenient for the Towns use & least charge to the town and least pregudishall to perticuler persons and to make return of their doeings thereon to the selectmen

July the 7 Assembled Asahell Smith Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher and William Avery selectmen

The said select men agree and this Day give order to the Town Clerk to wright a warrant to the Constable to give notis to Joseph Bullard Juner to depart out of this Town of Dedham and that they doe forbid Said Joseph Bullard Imposing himselfe upon this Town as an Inhabitant and doe disalow him abiding in this town as an Inhabitant

Also upon Information that a strainger Mary Loverin is entertained by Samvell Aldridg at his house the selectmen abovesaid doe likewise give order that notis be given to Said Samvell that they doe disalow him to entertaine her & likewise to the Said Mary that they doe disalow her abiding in this Town of Dedham as an Inhabitant

July the 10th Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen did repayer to the house of Samvell Aldridg and gave him notis that the selectmen Did disalow him entertaining Mary Loverin also did Informe said Mary that the selectmen did disalow her abiding in this Town of Dedham as an Inhabitant: Likewis Nath Kingsbery Constable did warne Joseph Bullard Juner to depart out of Town

1704 August 18 Assembled Asahell Smith Thomas Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher and William Avery selectmen to make assessments

A High way August 22 Assembled vpon a motion made for a high way to the Clavebordtrees by the house of Joshva Fisher Juñ the selectmen leave it to John Huntting Señ Samvell Gay Nath Gay and Jos [ ] Fisher Señ to lay out said way through their own land & to make return thereof to be recorded

August 23 Assembled the selectmen last above named and then finished the Country rate or assessment being two hundred forty two pounds the list in the hand of John Deane Constable is 122—8—1 and in the hand

of Nath Kingsbery Constable is 119—11—11 the Said lists being proportioned upon the perticuler Inhabitants to each person their proportions as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Sen, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Makenab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe, Sarg^t Josiah Fisher, Sarg^t Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn Señ, Michaell Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, (805) Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Sen, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Sarg^t Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Juñ, David Eams, William Robins Señ, Vid Mary Clap Juñ, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Farington Sen. John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Jnñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Ens Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nathanaell Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Falls, John Ellis, Asahell Smith, Sam^ll & Timo Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Jonath Faierbank Jun, John Farington Juñ, John Fuller Juñ, John Deane Juñ, William Robins Juñ.

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiall Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, Nathanaell Bullard, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanaell Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^t Joseph Colburh, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, Daniell Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Joseph Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^t Eleazer Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Nathanaell Haws, Mathias Ockinton, John Chickring, Joseph Barber, Benj Chinnory, John Draper, Nicolas Cooke, Nath Jelson, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Joseph Mills, Samvell Mills, William Aears, Ephram Ware, Jams Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Wodkins, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leu^t John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanaell Gay, Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, William Eaton, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Señ, Josiah Kingsbery, Nathanaell Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Nath

Richards Juñ, Ebenezer Brakit, Andraw Wodkins, Samvell Cooke, Jacob Bartlat, William Jelson, Samvell [ ]

(306) August 30th 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Thomas Fuller Amos Fisher & William Avery selectmen To make the Town Rate which is proportioned upon the perticuler Inhabitants as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Sargt Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Sargt Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn Señ, Michaell Dwight, Daniell Alldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Sargt Benja Onion, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eams, William Robins Señ, Vid Mary Clap Juñ, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Sen, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Benjamin Ginory, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Falls, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, Samll & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Jonath Faierbank Juñ, John Farington Juñ, Thomas Grant, John Fuller Juñ, John Deane Juñ.

This part of the Town Rate in the hand of John Deane Constable with a warrant according to law Reqviring him to collect pay in and Ishew & Compleat accompts thereof by the first day of march next Coming the totall sum thereof is 18lb—4s—6d

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18—11—3

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Nathanaell Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards Señ, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanael Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Joseph Colburn, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Isaac Chinnory Señ, Isaac Chinnory Juñ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Benjamin Chinory, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Henry Alldin, Mathew Tomblin, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Joseph Mills, Samvell Mills, John Aaers, Ephram Ware, James

Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, John Woodcock, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Wodkins, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leu^{t} John Baker, John Baker Juñ, [ ]ws, Nathanaell Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Timoth Kingsbery, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} El Kingsbery, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michaell Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Señ, Josiah Kingsbery, Nathanaell Gay Juñ, Nath Richards Juñ, John Chickring, Mathias Ockinton, Mathew Tomblin, Henry Aldin, Joseph Comin, Andraw Wodkins, Ebenezer Braket, [ ] Cooke, Samvell Cooke, Jacob Bartlat Nath Jelson, William Jelson, Samvell Staples.

This latter part of the Town rate in the hand of Nath Kingsbery Constable to collect with a warrant according to law athorising & reqviring him to collect & pay in the same and to compleat his colections payments & accompts thereof by the first day of march next coming. the totall sum thereof is 18^{lb}—4^{s}—0^{d} [ ]

(308) October 27th: 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen

This 27th day of October 1704 Reckoned with Mr John Prentice Schoole master on account of his Keeping schoole in Dedham four years past the fourth yeare ending the 24th day of this Instant October and there remains Dve to Said Mr John Prentice on account of Said four year Keeping schoole twenty five pounds one shillings and three pence 25^{lb}—1^{s}—3^{d}

October 26th 1704 Leut Joseph Colburn Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery & Benjamin Colburn being appoynted by the Town a Commity to lay out a High way make the return of their doings thereon as foloweth Have layed out a High way from the Town along in the Road leading to Medfield as it is now drawn three Rods wide and out of Said road a way of two rods wide as it is marked and staked out Ranging alonge neer the house of Nathanaeld Haws and so over Rock medow Brook The Select men above assembled doe approve this Commity and the way layed out as above entred

November 10th 1704 Assembled Asahell Smith Nathanaell Gay and Amos Fisher And then granted to Amos Fisher a bill of ninteen shillings for Charges expended at Court for the whole of Charges expended there upon the Towns account

The selectmen also this day appoynt the Town and propriators to meet upon munday the twentyeth day of this Instant November and accordingly gave out warrants to the Constables to give notis thereof

November 10th 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomse Fuller and William Avery and this Day gave under their hands the names

of such persons as had been warned to depart out of Town being disalowed by the selectmen to be Inhabitants: Namly Joseph Bullard Junr Mary Loverin John Ingilles and a Negro or Malato Child entertained by James Emmory

November 20th 1704 The Constables make their return that they have given notis to the Inhabitants and propriators to meet according to their warrants to give answer to severall persons that move to have highways layed out and to make order for puting the Salary into the Constables hands to Colect the arreeres thereof and to atend other Town busines and to take Cear to prevent the wast of wood and timber upon the propriaty of the Town Commons

The Town lengthened out their Meeting this Day till eight a clock at evening. Likewise chose John Fuller their Modarator

The Town being assembled this 20th day of November above Said It was proposed to the Town Whither they doe order that the list of each perticuler persons proportion to our Reverend Pasters salary being made by the selectmen according as the Town have before Ordered: said selectm— shall give out a list thereof to the Deacon or deacons whereby they may receive of perticuler persons their proportions thereof either in the box in publick or in privat as the Town have before ordered and Keep an account thereof and Reckon with persons as formerly also that said selectmen doe devid said list to each Constable according as other assessments are wont to be devided and forthwith Commit to said Constables each one his proportion thereof with a warrant to each of them That in Case any person neglect or refuse to pay in their proportion to said Salary till after the year be up or expired that then the deacon or Deacons shall give an account to the Constables of such persons as have payed in their proportions to said Salary or any part thereof. and such as have neglected to pay in their proportions thereunto ar any part thereof said Constables shall forthwith Collect and gather in of every such perticuler person their proportion to said salary which they have so neglected or refused to pay in And said Constables shall pay in the whole*

(**307**) Sept 1: 1704 Assembled Nath Gay Tho Fuller Amos Fisher & William Avery selectmen to make the Schoole Rate which is proportioned upon the perticuler Inhabitants [ ] foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Jun, Sarg^t Joseph Faierbank, James Macknab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe, Sarg^t Josiah

* This paragraph is continued on Ms. page 309.

Fisher, Sargt Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn. John Colburn Señ, Michaell Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Benjamin Onion, Ens Robert Avery, Nathanaell Farington, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, William Robins, Vid Mary Clap Juñ, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Farington Juñ, John Haws, John Deane Señ, Jonathan Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Juñ, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Willlam Makintosh, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Falls, Joshva Clap, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, Samll & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, John Deane Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benjamin Chinory, Nathanaell Gvild, Thomas Grant, John Metcalfe.

This first part of the schoole rate in the hand of John Deane constable with warrant according to law reqv [ ] & atharising him to collect & pay in the Same & to Ishew & compleat this [ ] payments & accoumpt there-of by the first day of march next coming t— totall sum thereof is 13—3—8

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Nathanaell Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards Señ, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanaell Chickring, Leut Joseph Colburn, Joseph Ellis Señ, Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery, John Fuller Señ, Mathew Tomblin, Eleazer Ellis, Nathanaell Haws, Mathias Ockinton, Thomas Fuller Señ, Isaac Chinory Señ, Isaac Chinory Juñ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Danielle, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Joseph Mills, Samvell Mills, John Accers, Ephram Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, John Woodcock, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Henry Alldin, Andraw Wodkins, Ebenezer Braket, John Chickring, Joseph Commin, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Wodkins, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvell Parker, Thomas Ockinton, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanaell Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Michaell Metcalfe, Josiah Kingsbery, Nathanaell Gay Juñ, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Nathanaell Richards Juñ, Joseph Barber, John Fuller Juñ.

This lattar part of the schoole rat Commited into the hand of Nathanall Kingsbery Constable to Collect with a warrant according to law reqvir-

ing and atharising him thereunto and to Ishew and Compleat his collections & payments & accoumpts there of by the first d— of march next Coming the totall sum there of is 12lb—13s—4d

(309) *of that which they shall so levy or Colect to the deacon or deacons and shall make up and Compleat and Ishve their accounts and payments thereof with the Said Deacon or Deacons within three months after the year is expiared for which said list of proportion of said salary was made this was answered by a full vot of the Town in the afirmative

It was further proposed to the Town whither they will Choos a Commity to vew the highwayes that are desired to be layed out to the Clavebord trees and through the Clavebordtrees to the house of Joshva Fisher Juñ and from Medfield rode through the Clavebordtrees to the road leading to foull Medow and make report of the whole to the Town at their next Meeting this was answered by a vote of the Town in the afirmative And the Town by their vote Chose Capt Samvell Gvild Sargt Joseph Faierbank & Thomas Fullar their Commity to atend said work

Thomas Aldridg and John Fuller having been formerly Chosen a Commity to lay a High way from the road leading to Dorchester at the end of the narrow lane to the house of Josiah Fisher and James Falls till it comes to the East street road and said Thomas Aldridg being deceased before said work is finished the Town by their vote have Chosen and aded to John Fuller Timothy Whitting to be their Commity to finish said work Likewise the Selectmen have also appoynted and Impowered Said Commity to acomplish Said work and make return of their doings therebn that Said high way be recorded

Septem 4th 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Thomas Fuller Amos Fisher and William Avery selectmen proportioned our Revd Pasters salary and for wood as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Wookward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Sen., William Avery Juñ, Sargt Joseph Faierbank, James Macknab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Thomas Metcalfe. Sargt Josiah Fisher, Sargt Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn Sen., Michaell Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Sen, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, Sargt Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen., John Huntting Jun., David Eames, John Everit Jun., William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Sen., Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Jun, John Farington Jun., John Haws, John Deane Sen.,

*See foot-note, page 328.

Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Cap[t] Samvell Gvild, John Ellis, Jonathan Faierbank Jun., Asahell Smith, Sam[ll] & Timothy Gay, John Gay Jun., James Makerwithe Jun., Thomas Grant, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Gvild Jun., Samvell Everit, Cap[t] John Everit, John Makerwithe, Joshva Fisher Jun., Cap[t] Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, Thomas Battele, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Sen., Caleb Pond, Nathanaell Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanaell Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu[t] Joseph Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Sen., Ebenezer Ware, Josiah Newell, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen., Benjamin Mills Jun., Henry Aldine, John Chickring, Joseph Mills, Samvell Mills, John Accers, Ephram Ware, Jeames Kingsbery, John Smith Sen., John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Robert Cooke, Thomas Ockinton, Leu[t] John Baker, John Baker Jun., Nathanaell Gay Sen., Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, John & William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Hannah Ware, Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Sen., Hannah Aldridg, Michaell Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Sen., Josiah Kingsbery, Nathanaell Gay Jun., Daniell Fisher Jun., Thomas Fuller Jun., Nathanaell Richards Jun., John Fuller Jun., Thomas Paine, Joseph Barber, Ebenezer Braket, Joseph Comin, Nathanaell Haws, Mathias Ockinton, Andraw Wodkins. (310) William Robins, Vid Mary Clap, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Isaac Genory Sen., Isaac Genory Jun., Daniell Draper, Samvell Parker, John Smith Jun., John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Ebenezer Falls, Joseph Bullard Sen., Nicolas Cooke, Samvell Cooke, Jacob Bartlat, Nathanaell Jelson, William Jelson, Samvell Staples.

Assembled This 29 Day of November 1704 Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller & William Avery Selectmen

Then said Selectmen Delivered a list into the hand of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable for such as ware in arrear in paying their proportion to our Re— pasters salary for the year 1703 Said list is as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mathew Tomblin, Mathias Ockinton, Joseph Barber, Joseph Smith, Jonath Battele, Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Dewing, Joseph Haws, Thomas Paine, John Parker, Joseph Daniells, Benjamin Mills Sen, Samvell Mills, William Mills, Ephram Ware, John Woodcock. Totall sum is 5 12 5

December 4th 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen

Reckoned with Benjamin Colburn Constable and there remains Dv— to the Town on account of Town rates Commited into said Constables hand twenty three shillings nine pence 1 3 9

payed to Capt Daniell Fisher by Benjamin Colburn twenty three shillings and nine pence 1 3 9

Janvary 11th 1704–5 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher & Thomas Fuller Selectmen

Being informed of the Vid Sarah Hinksman that is come to dwell in this Town of Dedham may be likely to be a Town Charge have thereupon desiered and appoynted Nathanaell Gay above said to give notis to said Vid Sarah Hinksman to depart out of this Town of Dedham & that the selectmen of Dedham aforesaid doe disalow har Inhabiting in this Town of Dedham

Janvery 15th 1704 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher & William Avery selectmen

Said Nathanaell Gay make return to the selectmen that upon the thirteenth day of this Instant Janvary did give notis to said Vid Sarah Hinksman to depart out of this Town of Dedham and that the selectmen doe disalow har abiding here as an Inhabitant

Janvary 24 1704–5 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller William Avery selectmen

Reckoned with Ezra Morse Constable on account of the schoole rate Commited in to said Constables hand and said Constable has payed the whole of said rate

This day the selectmen Choos and appoynt Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery and Benjamin Colburn a commity to lay out a Highway from the Town bet— Rock field and west field over Rock medow brook to lands yet to be layed out

(311) Janvary 31: 170⅘ Assembled Nathanael Gay Amos Fisher & William Avery Selectmen

Then Chose and appoynted Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery & Benjamin Colburn a Comity to lay out a High way from the Town over Rock medow brook neer the house of Nathanaell Haws to lands yet to be laid out where it may be most benifishall in their Judgement for the Towns use and lest preiudishall to perticuler persons

febrvary 21 170⅘ Assembled Nath Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen

The Commity above appoynted to lay out a highway make their return as followeth

Dedham febvary 17th 170⅘ We the subscribers being deputed by the selectmen have layed out a high way three Rods wide from the Town in

Medfield Roade and two Rods wide from Medfield Rode over Rock medow Brook as it is marked out

Eleazer Kingsbery
Benjamin Colburn

by order of the selectmen last above named at their then being assembled the under written return of the Commity appoynted to lay out a highway is recorded as foloweth

Dedham 25 of may 1695 These may Certifie whom it may Concern that we whose names are here unto subscribed Being deputed by the Town to lay out the way by the low plaine leading to the land of Jonathan Faierbank as neer as we Could in the place where it was and the same bredth have accordingly don it and staked it out as neer as we can in the pleace where it was and about two Rods broad to which we subscribe our names

Nathanaell Stearns
Thomas Metcalfe
Jonathan Metcalfe

Vpon the desier of Josiah Newell the selectmen have Chosen and Deputed Joseph Ellis Sen̄ and Nathanell Kingsbery a commity to lay out a highway to the house of said Josiah from the way layed out from Medfield Road over Rock medow brook as may be most Convenient

Likewise Nathanaell Gay & Thomas Fuller are appoynted and deputed a com̄it to lay out a highway from the way leading to foull medow neer the house of Samvell Gay to the Clave bord trees over dead swamp neck

Dedham 26 of febrvary 170$\frac{4}{5}$ Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Thomas Fuller & William Avery selectmen

This Day Reckoned with John Deane Constable on account of the Town Rate Com̄ited into said Constables hand to Collect and there remains Dve to the Town upon account of said rate six pounds ten shillings & three pence 06—10—3

vpon a motion made by Andraw Dewing to have a high way layed out to his house the select men have Chose and appoynted Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery and Thomas Fuller a Commity to lay out a High way from the House of John Smith Sen. to the land of Andraw Dewing where it may be most Convenient for the Towns use

This Day Reckoned with Nathanuel Kingsbery Constable on account of the arrears of the salary for 1703 Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and have Received the whole thereof of said Constable

Also have Commited a list into the hand of John Deane Constable with a warrant to Collect and pay in the arrears of the Salary of such persons as are behind in paying their proportions to our Rd Pasters salary for the year 1703

Also Reckoned with Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable on account of the Town rate Committed into said Constables hand to Collect and said Constable paying the County Rate amounting to four pounds six shillings and three pence : has payd into to the Town the whole of said Town rate

John Richards having found an old sadle has payed into the hand of the Town Treasurer seven shillings on account of the Towns part for the use of the pore as the law Directs*

(312) febrvary 26 : 170$\frac{4}{5}$ Joseph Ellis & Nathanaell Kingsbery being deputed To lay out a Highway make return of their doeings thereon : which is entred by order of the selectmen as foloweth

Whereas we Joseph Ellis and Nathanaell Kingsbery were Chosen to lay out a Road from the House of Josiah Newell to the way that is layed out from Medfield Road over Rock Medow Brook : We the said Joseph Ellis & Nathanaell Kingsbery have layed out A Highway from the House of Josiah Newell to the westerly end of Said Newells house lot and from thence upon a vereing line by the westerly Corner of the House of Nathanaell Haws and so to the way that is layed out from Medfield Road over Rock Medow Brook two rods wide as it is marked out

Tho Paines Whereas the propriators at their meeting Janvary the 31 :
Suply of Swamp 169$\frac{8}{9}$ vpon the desier of Thomas Paine that a suply of swamp might be granted to him did leave the cear thereof with the select men that in case they did find any dve to him to give order for the laying it out to him And the selectmen having Sarched the records doe find that there was granted to Thomas Paine in the year 1641 a suply of Swamp to be layed out to him in that swamp granted for the use of burning Brick and not finding that thet suply of swamp was layd out to said Thomas Paine the selectmen have now granted to Thomas Paine in full sattisfaction for said suply of Swamp. that there shall be layd out to him in said Swamp all that Swamp which is yet Common and not layed out or granted to any other person and the selectmen have Chosen and appoynted Thomas Fuller John Carpenter and Samvell Ware or any two of them to lay out said Swamp and make return thereof to be recorded

Dedham March the 5th 170$\frac{4}{5}$ At a generall meeting of the Town and propriators upon dve notis given it being the day appoynted for the Choys of select men and other Town officers Elections are as foloweth

William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the selectmen for the year ensuing also John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher and Benjamin Colburn are chosen selectmen Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer

*See Province Laws, Vol. I, page 326.

It was put to the vote of the Town whither they will Choos three Constables for this present year this was answered in the Afirmative

John Fisher Sen. William Bullard & Eleazer Fisher are chosen Constables

The Town by their vote did lengthen out the time of their meeting till nine a clock to finish their Choys of Town Officers

John Woodcock John Smith Sen. Joseph Faierbank Joseph Ellis Jun. Thomas Hall fence vewers Nath Bullard Joseph Faierbank Joseph Colburn Vigelence Fisher Benjamin Onion Barakiah Lewis Tithing men

Capt John Everit Leut Joseph Colburn Sargt Josiah Fisher Nathanaell Richards Sgt Eleazer Kingsbery Joseph Hartshorn Joseph Daniells Survayers of high ways

Ephram Wilson Daniell Draper John Everit Jun. Joseph Daniells Edward Cook Nath Chickring Jeremiah Woodcock field drivers

Asahel Smith sealler of Lether

Att the Conclution of this Meeting of the Town and propriators this fifth day of March abovesaid the Towns busines not being finished the select men give notis to the Town and propriators to meet on the morrow morning being the sixth day of this Instant March

(**313**) March 6th 170⅘ the Town and propriators being met to atend ther busines

It being put to the vote of the Town whither there shall be aded to our Revd Pasters Salary for this present year six pounds to make up that which is wanting in the payment of his salary in the years Reckoned for before the year 1703 this was answered in the afirmative

It was further put to the vote of the Town whither all such persons as put in any part of their proportion to our Rd Pasters Sallary into the box in publick shall put it in in apaper with their names written therein and if any person put in any part of their proportion thereunto loos without a paper written as aforesaid it shall be accounted given freely above their proportion to said salary

Town Rate The Towns Debts being presented to the Town It was put to *granted 22 £* the vote of the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of twenty two pounds to defray Town Debts this is answered in the afirmative

Nathanaell Haws this day making Complaint to the propriators that he suffers ronge by the laying out and granting such lands to others as were formerly granted and hath since by alionation fallen to him

it was proposed to the vote of the propriators whithers they will appoynt a commity to search the records of said land and in case they find that any part of said land land is taken away from said Nathanaell Haws that then

the said Commity shall lay out of the Common lands of the Town so much land as shall be just and equall sattisfaction acre for acre for so much land as is taken away by said later grants or Bounds this is answared in the afirmative The propriators have Chosen Mr Timothy Dwight and Asahel Smith a commity to atend said work and in case they cannot agree to Choos a third man and so Ishve the cause

The selectmen appoynt and gave notis this Day to the Town and propriators to meet upon munday next being the twelfe day of this Instant march

This sixth day of march above said William Bullard made a motion to the Town for liberty to hyer Benjamin Onion to serve in his room in the office of a Constable And it being put to the vote of the Town whither they grant him that liberty it was answared in the affirmative

also this day the Constables to their oaths namly John Fisher Sen. Benjamin Onion and Eleazer Fisher also the other Town officers ware sworn at the same time

March 12th 170⅘ The Town and propriators being met according to appoyntment and notis given at their meeting March the sixth: The propriators did by subscription of the Major part of propriaty declare their mindes is to lay out of their common lands in Devidents

It was put the vote of the propriators whither they will lay out in devident all their undevided lands lying on the Southerly side of Joseph Hartshorns on both sides of Naponset River this was answared in the afirmative

It was further put to the vote of the propriators whither they will lay out A devident of four acres to one Cow Common right in the Common or undevided lands lying on the Northerly side of Joseph Hartshorns this was Answered in the Afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the propriators whither every propriator in this devident of four acres to one Cow Common right shall have liberty to take np his proportion therein or any part thereof Joyning to his own land and in case there be two or more have land Joyning upon Common land and they put in for the same place that then it shall be layed out to each of them according to the proportion of their rights And such as take up their land remote from their own land shall take up the whole of their right in this devident together in one place and in case two or more put in for for the same place at the time appoynted for puting in it shall be desided by a lot which of them shall have it and such as put in after ward he that puts in first shall have his Choys this was answared in the afirmative

It was likewise put to the vote of the proprietors whither the first munday in Aprill shall be the time for the propriators to put in their Choys to

the survayer at the house of Joshva Fisher sen^{r} for this Devident of four acres to a Cow Common Right this was answered in the afirmative

(314) March 12th 170$\frac{4}{5}$ beforesaid att the meeting of the Town and propriators it was put to the propriators to Choos a Survayer to lay out their Devidents of land this day agreed upon and Concluded to be layed out The propriators thereupon by a subscription Chose John Deane Senr their survayer to lay out said devidents

It was further put to the vote of the propriators whither they will Choos a Commity of four men to Joyne with said survayer in laying out said Devidents and that any one of said Commity with the survayer shall lay out to any propriator his proportion in said Devident exept it be to one of said Commity and then there shall be two of said Commity with the survayer this was answered iu the Afirmative

The propriators Chose Capt Daniell Fisher Capt Samvell Gvild John Fuller and John Carpenter their Commity to Joyen with the survayer in laying out said Devidents as abovesaid

It was likewis put to the vote of the propriators whither the survayer and the Commity shall allwayes reserve nessesserery highways to land layed out or which they shall lay out this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the propriators Whither the survayer & any one of the four Commity Chosen to Joyne with him in laying out said Devidents: making return under their hands to the Town Clark of the qvantaty bounds and abuttelments of land layed out to any propriator that it shall be sufficient warrant to the Town Clark to enter and record such land granted to such propriator this was answered in the afirmative

Vpon the desier of persons dissattisfied upon the account of lands it was put to the vote of the propriators whither they will Choos a Commity to hear their greevances and make report thereof unto the propriators at their next meeting this was answered in the afirmative And the propriators accordingly Chose Mr Timothy Dwight Capt Samuel Guild Asahel Smith & Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery their Commity to attend said work

This day Benjamin Clark & John Fisher of Medfield did make a motion to the propriators to exchang land for about thirty acres taken up by them in the Common land of the Town upon a mistak of the place where their lot lay which lot was formerly granted to Henny Wilson Said Benj Clark & John Fisher tendered so much land out of said lot as shall be full sattisfaction to the propriatois for said thirty acres the propriators there upon grant their desier and Chose John Deane & Eleazer Kingsberry their Commity to lay out said thirty acres to them provided said Benj Clark and John Fisher doe lay down to the propriators so much of their lot formerly granted to Henry Wilson as said Commity shall Judg to be full satisfaction for the said thirty acres

This day above said the propriators having Concluded to lay out in Devident all their Common or undevided land lying on the Southerly side of Joseph Hartshorns on both sides of Naponsat River It was further put to the vote of the propriators and the commity whither the survayer and the Commity appoynted and Chosen to lay out said devident shall take a circumferance thereof and describe it and the propriators draw their lots for it either by fifty acres or one hundred acres in a lote which of them they shall find most eqvall and Convenient this was answered in the afirmative

April the 2d 1705 Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Benjamin Colburn & Wm Avery selectmen

Said Selectmen Chose Capt Samvell Gvild and Barakiah Lewis a commity to lay out a Highway from the old Saw mill Road neer fouer mil tree to the County Road at Neponset River

Mr Timothy Dwight did this declear his refusall to act any further in the case to which he was Ch— with Asahell Smith a Commity to sarch the records upon the Complaint of Nathanaell Haws that he had land taken from him by later grants where in said Commity ware appoynted to make Said Nath Sattisfaction in land in case they find that he was ronged

(315) Aprill 2d 1705 At a meeting of the propriators Vpon Complaint that the Commity Chosen to serch the records on account of the land of Nathanaell Haws that said Commity doe not agree and it being moved to the propriators to Choos another Commity The propriator by their vot declare that they leave it with the said Commity one week more to see whither they can agree to goe through their work to which they ware deputed

It was put to the vote of the propriators upon a motion made by Daniell Draper for liberty to lay down twenty one acres of medow already granted to him and for liberty to take up his right upon the account thereof in the Common lands of the Town within this Devident of four acres to one cow Common right agreed on to be layed out on the Northerly side of Joseph Hartshorn provided he doe not enterfere upon any of the land put in for by any other propriator in said Devident This was answered in the afirmative

It was further this day put to the vote of the propriators in order to the survayer and the Commity theire taking a circumference of the Devident of land agreed upon to be layed out on the southerly side of Joseph Hartshorns whither the said survayer and the Commity shall give notis to such as have lots Joyning to said Devident to attend to run the line of their lots between them and the Common land of the propriators and said Commity to act therein in the behalfe of the propriators This was answered in the affirmative

It was also put to the vote of the propriators Whither such as dwell at the old Saw Mill shall have liberty to take up their proportion of the Devi-

dent granted on the Northerly side of Joseph Hartshorn Joyning to their home lots This was answered in the afirmative

An exchange It was likewise put to the vote of the propriators whither they
w'th Elea. doe grant to Eleazer Clap three acres of land to be layed
Clap 3ª major out to him by sirvayer & the Commity apoynted to lay out
plain ½ª other lands provided said Eleazer Clap doe grant halfe an acre
burial place of land in the Corner of his home lot at that Corn— next the river and the Highway for a burial place: said three acres of land is grand as abovesaid to be layed out to said Eleazer Joyning to his own land at the place called the Majors plaine this is answered in the afirmative

Vpon a motion made by Mr Timothy Dwight It was was put to the vote of the propriators whither they doe Choos and appoynt Capt Daniell Fisher & John Fuller to state the line between the land of said Mr Timothy Dwight and the land of John Draper provided said Mr Timothy Dwight doe bear the Charge thereo— this is answared in the afirmative

March 27th 1705 Persuent to an act of the Town the fifteenth day of May 1704 the parties perticulerly concerned therein being agreed according as is expressed in said act: the selectmen did meet upon the twenty fourth day of March 1705 and layed out a high way from the High street by the meeting house between the land of the Rd Mr Joseph Belcher and Leut John Baker till it come to a holow or low place neer Rd Mr BelchersBarn and then turns to the left hand and is layed out through the North Easterly Corner of sd Leut Bakers orchard and from thence in to the southwesterly Corner of William Bullards Orchard and along in said orchard till it Comes to the side Hill and so down upon the side of the Hill to the landing place in Charles River and Convenient roome reserved by the said River to turn Carts as the whole is marked out And the said William Bullard here upon binds and obliges himselfe and his Heires to make and maintaine said way good and passable for loaden Carts And in case at any time it be not so good and passable for the Towns use said William Bullard doe bind and Oblige himselfe and his successors forever to alow apassage for Carts to Come up loaden from said River up the Hill where they were formerly wont to goe till they Come to the westerly side of said Williams Barn and then to turn to the right hand and goe up by the westerly side of said barn and so forward in the land of said William Bullard till they Come into the way now layed out said William Bullard and his successor being hereby bound and obliged to Keep Convenient bars or gates to be layed down or opened as shall be nessessery at any time all wayes provided that such as have ocation to open the same shall set up or shet such gates and bars that the said William Bullard bee not damnified by their neglect therof

[1] WILLIAM BULLARD

[1] Autograph.

June 13th 1705 Capt Samvell Gvild & Barakiah Lewis this day make return that they hav layed out a High way according to their deputation thereunto Aprlll 2d 1705 as foloweth: from Saw mill Road neer the house of John Deane Jun between the land of said Samvell Gvild and John Deane Senr leading to the [ ] of Samvell Bullard and through part of the land of said Bullard & so on to the house of John Everit as the way is now drawn & from thence to the house of William Everit by the fence sid as it now stands Said way is layed out two Rods wide also a way from this way begining on the northerly side of the land of Samvell Bullard down to the Brook & so between the land of said Samvell Bullard & John Farington and through the land of Jonathan Fuller two rods wide as it is marked out to a road leading to the house of Samvel Thorp

Samvell Gvild Senr
Barakiah Lewis

(316) Dedham April the 6th 1705 We whose names are under written being appoynted and Impowered by the Town and the selectmen to lay out and state a Highway from the East end of the narrow lane that is in the East street to the house of Josiah Fisher and James Falles and so forwar till it Comes to the East street not far from the house of William Makintosh In persuence of the trust Commited to us we have layed out and stated a way from the East street up the Hill towards the house of James Fales four rods wide And from the top of said hill to the House of Said James Fales and Josiah Fisher and so forward to the East end of the narrow lane aforsaid two rods wide Said way being set out by marking Small trees seting up stakes and heaps of stones

Timothy Whitting
John Fuller

Whereas Asahel Smith John Fuller and Daniell Fisher ware Chosen accomity by the Town march the 8th 1703 they make their return as foloweth

December 2: 1704 We whose names are under written being Chosen and appoynted a commity by the Town to hear and Ishew a differance between Mr Timothy Dwight and Benjamin Mills refering to a perciell of medow neer to the house of Samvell Parker In persuence of the trust comited to us we have repaired to said medow and not finding anough medow there to sattisfie both their grants we have for a full and finall Isve of said differance layed out to Said Benjamin Mills five acres of Swamp abutting upon the land and swamp of Samvell Mills towards the the South and upon wast land and Swamp on all other parts

Asahel Smith
John Fuller
Daniell Fisher

Aprill 25th 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen and then granted warrants to the Constables to give notis to the freeholders and other Inhabitants of this Town

of Dedham to meet at the meeting house upon munday the seventh day of May next to Choos a Representative and to attend other Town busines

John Smith did this Day move to the selectmen for a way to be layed out to his medow on the north side of the road leading from Sherborn to the lower falls in Charls River thereupon the selectmen have Chosen Joseph Daniell and John Parker their Commity to lay out said way from said Road to said Medow where it may be most Convenient & lest charge to the Town

Amos Fisher also this Day move to the selectmen for a way to his land and Medow on the west side of rock medow and to other lands lying more westwards the selectmen thereupon have Chosen and Deputed Nathanaell Richards sen^r and Benjamin Colburn their Commity to lay out said way

upon a motion made by severall of the Inhabitants for a way to be layed from the great plaine through the Chestnut trees to the road leading from Sherborn to the falls also from the said road through the Chestnut trees over the Dame at rosemery Medow and so forwards neer the house of Henry Aldine and from thence to Charls river neer the house of Robert Cooke the selectmen there upon have Chosen and Deputed Amos Fisher and Benjamin Colburn a Commity to lay out said ways where they may be best for the use of the Town & lest damage to any perticuler persons

Vpon a motion made by Samvell Parker that a way layed out through his land may be altred for his convenience in fencing his land the selectmen leave it to their Commity above named Amos Fisher and Benjamin Colburn to vew said way and in case they find Said way may be altred without any damage & Inconvenience to Said way and with any benefit to said Samvell Parker then said Commity are appoynted to alter Said way according to their best Judgment

This Day notis is given to Capt Daniell Fisher and Thomas Hall to remove their fence out of the way layed out from the road leading to Medfield over Rock medow Brook and that the said way be layed open by the seuenteenth day of may next

(317) may 7th 1705 At a generall meeting of the freeholder and other Inhabitants and propriators of this Town of Dedham upon Dve notis given them to Chose a Representative and to attend other Town and propriators busines

Persuent to a precept reqviring the Same the Town by the major part of electors present Chose John Fuller their Representative according to the direction of the sd precept

Vpon report that some of the propriators of lots in the Devident of woody land layed out neer Medfield: doe exeed the trve bounds of their lot & mark trees beyond their trve bounds upon the Common land of the propriators

It was thereupon this day put to the vote of the propriator whither they doe Choos and appoynt the Commity: alreddy Chosen to lay out other land with the survayer to call upon such propriators of said lots to run their lines between said lots and the Common land of the propriators and that said survayer with any one of the other of said Commity shall run said lines and renew the marks in the behalfe of the propriators with the owners of said lots So that the survayer being accounted one of said Commity two of the Commity are desiered and Impowred in the behalfe of the propriators to performe said work this was answered in the Afirmative

Ephram Wilson this day make Complaint to the Town that his Medow at the new Bridge over Charls River is much demnefied by the stopage in the river at said bridge by the whorfage and other Stopage in the River It was thereupon put to the vote of the Town whither they desier the survayers to take the first opetunity to remove the stopage in the River and whensoever said bridge doth need Repayering or new building then to remove said whorfage so that another trusell may be sat in to the River that the water may have more free passage this was answered in the Afirmative It was further put to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment of sixteen pounds to be raised towards the maintinance of the schoole this was answered by vote in the Affirmative

This day the selectmen having received an order from the Selectmen of Watertown to send men to Joyne with theirs in runing the line between our Towns the selectmen have thereupon Chosen and appoynted John Fisher and John Smith to meet them at the time and place they have appoynted and to performe said work

This seventh day of may abovesaid it was put to the vote of the propriators whither they doe Confirm the alianation made by Mr Ralph Wheelock to Edward Haws of land at Rock field and in full sattisfaction for the land taken out of said alianation by later grants doe grant unto Nathanaell Haws all that land layed out to him the said Nathanaell May the Second 1705 by Mr Timothy Dwight Capt Daniell Fisher and John Deane to be Recorded to hi— the said Nathanaell Haws and to his Heirs and assignes forever This was answered in the afirmit—

Also granted to Nathanaell Haws six acres of land to be layed out in the Common land of the propriators and to Josiah Newell ten acres to be layed out in said Common lands in sattisfaction to each of them for a High way of two rods wide layed out on the south side of wheelockes lote and upon the North side of Lusons lot in Rock field

This seventh day of May aforesaid the selectmen being Assembled upon a motion made by Thomas Hall to have a Highway layed out to his land on the westerly side of Rock medow Said Selectmen thereupon have

deputed Nathanaell Richards and Benjamin Colburn their Commity being formerly Chosen and deputed to lay out a High way on the westerly side of Rock medow also to lay out said way now desiered to be layed out

June i 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher William Avery selectmen

This day Reckoned with Mr John Prentice schoole Master on accoun— of the twenty five pounds one shilling and three pence dve to said schoole master upon Reckoning October the 27th 1704 also for six month Keeping schoole since and there remains Dve to sd Mr Prentice schoole master on account of the whole time fourteen pounds twelve shillings and six pence 14—12—6

June 30th 1705 This day Reckoned with mr John Prentice schoole master on account of the time Said schoole master has Kept the schoole since the former Reckoning upon the first day of this Instant June and there is Dve to him upon that account thirty five shillings 01—15—00

June the 30 abovesaid then payd to Mr John prentice schoolemaster on account of mon— Dve to him as in the above Reckonings and in part of payment thereof two pounds three shillings and three pence 00—06—08

thirty Six shillings & seven pence thereof in accounted for in the recknings above in the bill to John Deane So that six shillings & eight pence is to acount for 00—06—08

(318) June 25th 1705 Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen And Chose and deputed Capt Samvell Gvild Benjamin Onion John Ellis Nathanaell Gay and Benjamin Colburn to lay out the Highway by the house of Joshva Fisher Junr And towards the Town to the dead Swamp Bridge where it may be most Convenient for the Town & perticuller persons and as littell damage as may be to any in their perticuler propriaty or any three of them

This day John Deane late Constable Come to the selectmen and gave an account that he had money by him which he had gathered of the schoole rate in the time when it passed without waiing which the schoole master refused to receiv at the valve said Constable had received thereupon the selectmen did order said Constable to bring in the money to William Avery señ to receive it by tale & pay it to said schoole master by waight

July 2 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen

This day said selectmen gave their approbation that Benjamin Mills Senr may Receve license to Keep a house of publick entertainment upon the road leading from Boston to Sherborn at the lower falls in Charls River

Vpon Complaint that the new bridge over Charles River at the uper end of John Paines medow is so defective that it is not Safe pasing over upon said bridge there: fore the selectmen doe forbid the passing over said

bridge at present And doe appoynt Ephram Wilson to set up fence on both sides of said Bridge to stop the way also to remove the Covering of said bridge so as to prevent the passing over with horses or carts

Sir Partrigg Schoole master

July 9th 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen and did this day agree with Sir Partrigg to Keep the schoole one year In Dedham & said Pattrigg schoole Master is to Receive twenty eight pounds for his labor in Keeping the schoole one year: said work being dvly performed Said schoole master began to Keep the schoole upon the twelfth day of this Instant July 1705

July 14th 1705 Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Benjamin Colburn & Wm Avery Selectmen

Where as upon Complaint of the great defect of the new bridge over Charles River and the danger that there is in passing ouer said bridge the selectmen having Called the Survayer of High ways together and desired them to repayer said bridge and it still remaining unrepayered and further Complaint being brought to said selactmen of the danger of passing over Said bridge said selectmen upon July 2d 1705 did order the stoping the passing over said bridge for the present said selectmen being assembled July 14th 1705 doe upon further Complaint of the need of passage ouer said bridge againe hereby declare our desiers that the said survaiers would forthwith repayer Said bridge and therein attend the order of the Town May the 7th 1705 in removing the whorfage on the Northerly end of said bridge and set down a trusell there and remove the other stopage of the River occationed by the fluds at said bridge

August i 1705 Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn and William Avery select men

The selectmen being assembled August i 1705 Whereas upon Complaint made to said Selectmen of the defect of the new bridge over Charles River and of the danger of passing over upon it said selectmen did there upon forbid the passing over said bridge and did order the stoping of the way for the present and remouing the Covering the said selectmen being now informed that the Survayer have repayered Said bridge and made it strong and safe to pass over Said selectme doe now declare and order that Said way shall be no longer stoped or the passing over said bridge hindred by taking of the Covering: by Ephram Wilson or any other person under pretence of any order from the selectmen whatsoever

(319) This i of august abovesaid the selectmen being enformed that the Commity Chosen to lay out the High way by the house of Joshva Fisher Juner have not acomplished Said work Said selectmen doe therefor adde to Capt Samvell Gvild Nathanaell Gay and Benjamin Colburn their Commity

formerly appoynted Benjamin Onion and John Ellis that said work may be accomplished by any three of them

also this day said select men gave order the return of a way layed out by Nathanaell Gay and Thomas Fuller from foull medow road to the Clavebord trees should be recorded

Nathanuell Gay & Thomas Fuller make return of their laying out a high way according as they were deputed thereunto febrvary 21 : 1705 as foloweth

In Persvence to this order we whose names are under written have layed out a highway from foull medow road neer Samvell Gayes house three rods wide Just at the Corner Coming in to said road and from thence to the Clavebord trees two rods wide as it is marked and staked out

Nathanael Gay
Thomas Fuller

August : 2 : 1705 We whose names are here unto subscribed being Chosen and deputed to lay out a Highway by the house of Joshva Fisher Junr and Towards the Town to dead Swamp Bridge where it may be most Convenient for the Town and perticuler persons and as little damage as may be to any in their perticuler propriaty or any of them have as foloweth layed out a highway two rods wide through the land of Joshva Fisher Junr and through the land of John Huntting Senr and through the land of Capt Daniell Fisher and through the land of Joseph Faierbank and the land of the Heirs of Benjamin Faierbank and through the land of John Gay Junr and Timothy Gay and through the land of James Makenab and through the land of Samvell Gay and Timothy Gay and through the land of John Gay Senr and through the land of Vigelence Fisher and through the land of Capt Daniell Fisher and through the land of Nathanaell Gay Junr and so on to Dead Swamp bridge the whole of this way being two rods marked out

Nathanael Gay Senr
John Ellis
Benjamin Onion

August 8th 1705 Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Benjamin Colburn & Wm Avery selectmen

The new bridge over Charls River being presented said selectmen have this day Chosen and appoynted Nathanaell Gay to answer Said presentment at the Court

August 13th 1705 may the 16th 1705 We the subscribers being deputed to lay out a way to Amos Fishers land and medow on the west side of Rock medow and to other lands lying more westerly have layed out said way from Medfield Road over Rock medow brook to the side of the ridge turning over the ridge and by the side of the medow in to the Botom and to the Corner of John Bakers land two rods wide and six rods wide going up the

hill and from thence two rods wide forward past the land and medow of Amos Fisher to lands more westerly as it is marked out

Nathanaell Richards
Benjamin Colburn

Vpon a motion made by Samvell Parker Aprill 25th 1705 May 24th 1705 We the subscriber have altred the way on the Northerly side of the brook and layed it out two rods wide as it is now drawn up the hill

Amos Fisher
Benjamin Colburn

Vpon a motion made by Thomas Hall may 7th 1705 upon may 16th 1705 We the subsctibers have layed out a way from the way to Amos Fishers land turning over a little run forward to the North side of Thomas Halls land and so forward two Rods wide Nathanaell Richards
Benjamin Colburn

(320) [1] Dedham Aug. 17 1705. Wras the Chh and Town of Dedham wn They Called me to Labour in the Work of the Ministery among them did promise, (upon my Taking Office) to give me Sixty pounds current mony of New England towards my beeing Outwardly Acomodatad among them; And afterwards Sundry pticular persons, the most (I think) of the Heads of Family's in the Town did Voluntarily Engage to Make the above-said Sixty pounds, one hundred pounds, and Decon Tho. Metcalf Jnō Fuller, Joseph Wight, and Robert Avery, were chosen by the Town as Collectrs of sd mony and to pay It in to my Self; This is to Signify that I Have diverse years Since, Received to Satisfaction the above sd Sixty pounds as also wt way Engaged for the making It the Summe of one-hundred pounds, and Do herby manifest my Gratefull acceptance & hearty thankfulness to my Beloved Brethren & Friends for the Same Joseph Belcher

[1]As also whereas the Town hath not for Several years past had any Discharge upon the account of my yearly Salery this is to Declare that I have Recd of Deacon Wm Avery and Deacon Joseph Wight in full upon the Account of the Same Unto the first of March one thousand Seven hundred and three Four I Say Recd by me Joseph Belcher.

[1]And finally wheras the Town as appears by Their vote March 4th 1699/700 Agreed to give me Ten pounds to be proportioned wth the Sixty pounds of the yearly Salery for the providing my Self with wood in the Room of The Ten pounds worth of Wood formerly promised, I do Acknowledge To have Recd in the above Said Salery (made mention of unto March the first 170¾) In full upon the Account of wood also; that is to March the first 170¾

Joseph Belcher

August 28 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Benjamin Colburn & Wm Avery selectmen to finish the Country Rate there being an over pluse in the

[1]Autograph document and signature.

list Committed into the hand of Benjamin Onion Constable of three pounds fourteen shillings and three pence said Constable did this day promis to be accountable to the Town for the same The Country Rate is proportioned as foloweth. [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ. William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Jonathan Fuller, Sarah Metcalfe, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank, Sargt Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, Michaell Dwight, Daniel Aldis, John Richards Boaz Browne, Benj Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ens Robert Avery, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eams, William Robins Señ, Joshva Clap, Peter Falls, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane Señ, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Fales. John Ellis, Samll & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwith Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benjamin Ginory, John Farington, John Deane Juñ, Joseph Wight Jun, Isaac Everit, Ebenez Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells. John Parker, Benj Mills Sen, Benj Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Ebenezer Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremñ Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvell Parker, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton, Steeuen Bacon, Joseph Comin, Joseph Barber, Jonathan Dewing, Henry Aldin, Mathew Tomblin, Samvell Wodkins, Tim Kingsbery, Andra Wodkins, Jonath Eaton, Hezekiah Brod

(321) Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson Señ, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards Señ, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanaell Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Joseph Colburn, Nathanaell Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Josiah Newell, Isaac Ginory Señ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard Señ, Thomas Ockinton, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanaell Gay Sen, Comfort Starr, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sargt Ele Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michaell Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Señ, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Benjamin Onion, Asahel Smith, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, John Aldis, Na-

thanaell Haws, Ephram Wilson Juñ, Sam^{ll} Thorp, Nath^{ll} Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Nath Richards Juñ, John Braket, Ralph Day, John Chickring, Samvell Cook, Nicolas Cook, Josh Bartlat, Nathan^{ll} Jilson, John Ingules, John Bullard.

November 9th 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen to proportion the County Rate each persons proporti— there unto is as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Sen, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Jonathan Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Jonathan Faierbank, Sarg^{t} Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanaell Colburn, John Colburn, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ensi Robert Avery, John Huntting Señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, William Robins Señ, Joshva Clap, Peter Falles, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Juñ, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane Señ, Jonathan Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvel Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, Sam^{ll} & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Señ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benjamin Ginory, Joseph Wight Juñ, John Deane Juñ, Isaac Everit, Thomas Heslop, Constable Eleazer Fishers part to Colect totall.

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nath Richards Señ, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Josiah Newell, John Carpenter, Isaac Ginory Señ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard Señ, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nathanael Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Amos Fisher, John Aldis, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} Elea Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michal Metcalfe, Tho Fuller Sen, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Nath Haws, Benjamin Onion, Asahel Smith, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, Samvell Thorp, Nathanaell Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Nath Richards Juñ, John Braket, Zachriah Smith, Ralph Day, John Chickring, Samvell Cook, Nicolas Cook, Jacob Bartlat, Nath Jelson, John Ingules, John Bullard, Constable Onions part to colect, Mathew Tomblin, Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, Sg^{t} John Fisher,

Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benjamin Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Ebenezer Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremi Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Sam Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvel Parker, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton, Steven Bacon, Joseph Comin, Joseph Barber, Jonath Dewing, Henry Aldin, Sam Wodkins, Timo Kingsbery, Andraw Wodkins, Constable John Fishers part to Colect

(322) November 14th 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn & Wm Avery Selectmen to proportion our Rd Pasters salary and the Town Rate and schoole Rate

upon Complaint that the Highway layed out between the Ridge hill and the land of Ens Jonathan Metcalfe is not Convenient for the winter season the sd selectmen have there upon Chosen and deputed Capt Samvell Guild Sargt Joslah Fisher and Capt John Everit to vew said way and in case it may be altred and layed more Convenient they are heer by deputed to alter said way so as may be most Convenient for the use of the Town and as littel damag to any perticuler persons in their propriaty as may be

November 19th 1705 Assembled Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn and William Avery selectmen

This day the selectmen agreed with Nathanaell Kingsbery late Constable to finish the gathering the arrear of our Paster salary in the list Commited to him for which said Constable is to receive fifteen shillings when he hath Colected and payed in the same according to the warrant prefixed thereunto

The Town Rate granted March 6th 1705 is proportioned and entred as foloweth. [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Junr, William Avery Señ, William Avery Jun, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Jonathan Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Jonath Faierbank, Sargt Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanael Colburn, John Colburn, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Sargt Josiah Fisher, Boaz Browne, Benja Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, Ens Robert Every, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Juñ, David Eams, William Robins Señ Joshva Clap, Peter Fales, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Sen, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane Señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, John Farington Juñ, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvel Stearns, William Makintos, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samll Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, Samll & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Maker-

withe, Joshva Fisher Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benjam̃ Genory, Joseph Wight Jun, John Deane Juñ, Isaac Everit, Thomas Heslop

The totall sum is 10—14—2 the above written part of the Town Rate is Commited in to the hand of Eleazer Fisher Constable to Collect with a warrant reqviring & atherising him to gather and pay in the same [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Senr, Caleb Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson. Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanael Richards Señ, Jonathan Battele, John Bacon, Nathanael Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn, Nathan^{ll} Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Sen, John Carpenter, Josiah Newell, Isaac Genery Sen, John Draper, Daniell Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard Señ, Leu^{t} John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nath Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, Amos Fisher, John Aldis, John Bullard, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} Elea Kingsbury, John Woodcock, John Fuller Señ, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Juñ, Nathanaell Haws, Benjamin Onion, Joseph Bullard, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Asahel Smith, Ralph Freeman Juñ, John Haws, Samvell Thorp, Nathanael Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Nath Richards Juñ, John Braket, Zachary Smith, Ralph Day, John Chickring, Tho Fuller Señ. This Second part of the Town Rate is Commited into the hand of Benjamin Onion Constable to Collect the totall sum is 8—18—11

Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Danlells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Señ, Benj Mills Juñ, Samvell Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Ebenezer Mills, Ephram Ware, Joseph Comin, James Kingsbery, John Smith Señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Sam Aldridg, Robert Cook, Sam Parker, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathi Ockinton, Steven Bacon, Joseph Barber, Jonath Dewing, Henry Aldin, Samvel Wodkins, Andraw Wodkins, Timo Kingsbery, Mathew Tomblin. John Fisher Constables part to Collect totall 4—3—10

(**323**) The schoole Rate granted by the Town May 7th 1705 which is proportioned and entred as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but with figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Jonathan Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Sarg^{t} Josiah Fisher, Jonath Faierbank, Sarg^{t} Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nath Colburn, John Colburn, Michaell Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benja Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard Ens Robert Avery, John Huntting Sen, John

Huntting Juñ, David Eames, William Robins, Joshva Clap. Peter Fales, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Samvell Clap. Joseph Hartshorn, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane Señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, John Farington Juñ, John Deane Juñ, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Willi Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Sam^{ll} Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, Sam^{ll} & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe, Joshva Fisher Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benja Genory, Joseph Wight Juñ, Isaac Everit, Thomas Heslop. This in the hand of Eleazer Fisher Constable to collect the totall sum is 8—13—0

Capt Dan Fisher, Deac Jos Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jerem̃ Fisher, John Battele, An & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Caleb Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephr Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nath Richards Señ, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Jos Colburu, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, John Carpenter, Josiah Newell, Isaac Genory, John Draper, Daniell Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard Señ, Leut John Baker, John Baker Jun., Nath Gay Sen., Comfort Starr, Amos Fisher, John Aldis, William Eaton, Samvell Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller Sen., Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michael Metcalfe, Tho Fuller Sen, Tho Fuller Jun., Nath Haws, Benjamin Onion, Asahel Smith, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Haws, Sam Thorp, Nath Gay Jun., Daniell Fisher Jun., Nath Richards Jun., John Braket, Zachary Smith, Ralph Day, John Chickring, Ebenezer Bracket, John Bullard.

The above written in the hand of Benj Onion to Collect the totall sum is 6—14—2

Ebenezer Ware, Andra Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benj Mills Señ, Benj Mills Juñ, Sam Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Ebenezer Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith S^{r}, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Sam Aldridg, Robert Cook, Sam Parker, Josia Kingsbery, Mathi Ockinton, Steven Bacon, Joseph Comin, Joseph Barber, Jonath Dewing, Henry Aldin, Sam Wodkins, Tim Kingsbery, Andra Wodkins, Math Tomblin.

This Rate in the hand of John Fisher Constable to Collect the totall sum thereof is 3—02—1

(**324**) 1705 Our R^{d} Pasters salary is proportioned and each perticuler persons proportion thereunto prefixed to their name as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Jun, William Avery Señ, William Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Makenab, Samvell

Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonathan Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Josiah Fisher, Timothy Whitting, Samvell Whitting, Ezra Morse, Thomas Hering, Nathanael Colburn, John Colburn, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benjamin Colburn, Vigelence Fisher, Joshva Fisher Sen, William Bullard, Robert Avery, Benjamin Onion, John Huntting Sen., John Huntting Jun., David Eames, John Everit Jun., William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Sen, Eleazer Fisher, Ralph Freeman Jun., John Farington Jun., John Haws, John Haws, Sen., John Deane Jun., Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvel Everit, Joseph Mills, Samvell Mills, William Mills, William Robins Sen., William Robins Jun., Benjamin Genory, Joshva Clap, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, William Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samvell Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, Asahel Smith, Joseph Wight Jun., Sam^{ll} & Timothy Gay, John Gay Jun., Joshva Fisher Jun., Jonath Faierbank Jun., Capt Daniell Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Sen., Caleb Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Joseph Smith, Nathanaell Richards Sen, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nathanael Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn, Nathanael Kingsbery, Ebenezer Ware, Joseph Ellis Sen., Josiah Newell, Daniell Draper, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benjamin Mills Sen, Benj Mills Jun., Ephram Ware, Peter Fales, Eleazer Clap, Samvel Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Joseph Bullard Sen., James Makerwithe Jun., James Kingsbery, John Smith Sen., John Smith Jun., John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Samvell Bacon, Sam^{ll} Wodkins, Robert Cooke, Samvell Parker, Leu^{t} John Baker, Nathanaell Gay Sen., Comfort Starr, Timothy Kingsbery, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, John Woodcock, William Eaton, Vid Hannah Ware, Eleazer Kingsbery, John Fuller Sen., Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michael Metcalfe, Thomas Fuller Sen., Josiah Kingsbery, Nathanaell Gay Jun., Daniell Fisher Jun., Thomas Fuller Jun., Nathanaell Richards Jun., Isaac Everit, Ebenezer Deane, John Braket, Joseph Comin, Ebenezer Mills, Ralph Day, Jonathan Dewing, Mathias Ockinton, Mathew Tomblin, Joseph Barber, John Chickring, Andraw Wodkins, John Baker Jun., Nathanael Haws, Samvell Ware, Henry Aldin, Zachariah Smith, John Draper, John Mason, John Bullard, Steven Bacon.

(**325**) Dedham December 4th 1705 Assembled Nath Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn and William Avery selectmen and appoynted a meting of the Town and propriators upon munday the tenth Day of this Instant December & gave out warrants to the Constables to give notis thereof.

December 3^{d} 1705 the Town being met according to appoyntment of the selectmen and notis given by the Constable.

The Town taking in to Consderation the Obiection which Some persons make against the Constables power to gather the arrears of our R[d] Pasters salary by a warrant which doth not reqvier them to gather the same untill their year be out or expired It was thereupon put to the vote of the Town whither for the Time to Come they doe order said selectmen to give warrants to the Constables forthwith to Collect and gather the arrears of said salary of all such persons as shall neglect or refuse to pay in their respective proportions of Said Salary (to the Deacon or Deacons according to the order of the Town November the 20th 1704) at or before the fourteenth day of febrvary of the same year for which the list of said proportion is made from time to time this was answered in the afirmative.

December 28 Assembled Nathanael Gay Benjamin Colburn & William Avery selectmen

The selectmen this day gave an order to Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer to pay unto M[r] John Prentice late schoole master sixteen pounds and ten pence

Also gave order to the Town Clerk to give bills to all such as the Town granted the Town Rate to sattisfie what was dve to them from the Town to receive their dve of the Constables out of the Town Rate.

febrvary 15 Assembled John Fuller Nath Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn and William Avery selectmen

This day Reckoned with Nathanaell Kingsbery late Constable on account of the schoole rate Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and the whole is payed in ten pounds ten shillings thereof to M[r] John Prentice late schoole master and one pound seventeen shillings & a peny thereof to Nath Gay Town Treasurer said Treasurer being present and owned the receipt thereof

This Day Reckoned with Benjamin Colburn late Constable on account of both the schoole rats Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and the whole is payed forty shillings thereof the Town Treasurer did own the recit thereof

March 1 170$\frac{5}{6}$ Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Amos Fisher Benjamin Colburn and William Avery selectmen

This Day Delivered in to the hand of John Fisher Constable a list of the names and sums Dve from severall persons wherein they are in arrear or behind in paying their proportions to our Rd Pasters salary for the year 1705 with a warrant to said Constable reqviring him to Colect and pay in the same and to Compleat and ishew his accounts thereof with the selectmen at or before the last Day of may in the year 1706 the totall sum of said list is ten pounds two shilling and eleven pence 09—2—11

also Delivered into the hand of Benjamin Onion Constable a list with a warrant to Colect and pay in the whole of the sums Contained therein

being arrears of the above said salary and the accounts thereof to be Compleated and ishewed with the selectmen at or before the last of may 1706 the Totall sum in said list is six pounds ten and eleven pence 6—10—11

likewise to Eleazer Fisher constable is delivered a list of the arrears of said salary with a warrant requiring him to Collect and pay in the same and Compleat and Ishve account there of likewise with the selectmen by the last of may next the totall sum thereof is six pounds twelve shillings and four pence 6—12—4

(326) the 1 of March 170⅝ beforsaid The selectmen beforesaid being Assembled Reckoned with Benjamin Onion Constable on account of the Town Rate Commited into said Constables hand to Collect and there remains Dve to the Town from said Constable thirteen shillings and a peny of said rate 13s—1d

likewis Reckoned this day with Eleazer Fisher Constable one account of the Town rate Commited into said Constables hand to Collect and there remains Dve to the Town of said rate fourteen shillings and ten pence

also Reckoned this day with John Fisher Constable on account of the Town Rate Commited into said Constables hand to Colect and there is Dve from said Constable of said rate three pounds eleven shillings and ten pence 03—11—10

This Day John Richards lat Constable payed the remainder of a schoole rate into the hand of Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer being eighteen shillings & ten pence also the Town Treasurer Did this Day receive of Benjamin Onion Constable two pounds ten shillings and seven pence out of the schoole rate and of Eleazer Fisher Const out of the Schoole rate one pound ten shillings 04—19—5

also three pounds more payed into the hand of said Treasurer by Benjamin Onion Constable 03—00—00

March 4th 170⅝ The Town and propriators of Dedham being assembled it being the day of their generall Meeting to Chos selectmen and town Officers Elections are as foloweth

Deacon Joseph Wight John Fuller Nathanaell Gay & John Smith are Chosen selectmen for the year ensuing & William Avery is Chosen Town Clerk and one of the select men for the year ensuing

Sargt John Fisher Thomas Hall Robert Cooke John Gay senr Samvell Whitting Thomas Fuller sen Barakiah Lewis Peter Fales survayers of Highways

John Paine, John Rice Tho: Ockinton Nath Farington fence vewers

Ephram Wilson Daniell Draper John Everit Junr Joseph Daniells Edward Cook Nathanaell Chickring and Jeremiah Woodcock field Drivers

John Huntting Junr Michall Metcalfe & Joseph Daniells Constables

Ens Robert Avery Jonathan Gay Samvell Gay Benjamin Colburn & Asahel Smith Tithing men Nathanaell Gay Town Treasurer Asahel Smith Sealer of lether

Vpon report made to the Town and propriators this day assembled that there is noe bound marks set between the land of John Draper and the Common land of the propriators the propriator have thereupon Chosen and deputed Cap[t] Daniell Fisher & John Fuller their Commity to state the bounds between the Common land of the Town and propriators and the land of Said John Draper

(327) This 4th day of March aforesaid severall of the Inhabitants of this Town which atend the publick worship in other Towns and have payed in their proportions to the salary in part or in whole at such places and hau Neglected to atend the town order therein by bringing in a crtificat thereof in season did this day aply themselves to the Town and make reqvest that they might be released of so much of their proportion to said salary as they did present a Certificat that they have payed at other places for the year 1704

The Town did thereupon grant their reqvest and Joseph Hartshorn in perticuler was released althoug he had not payed in his whole proportion upon Consideration that he had been over Charged in an assessment this above written refer to the year 1704 only

It was this day put to the vote of the Town whither for time to come Notwithstanding the Town order formerly made in that Case no person being an Inhabitant of this Town of Dedham shall be released from paying his proportion to the salary for the maintinance of the ministry in Dedham exept such only as have a perticuler grant thereof from the selectmen for the time being from time to time this was answered in the afirmative

Upon a motion made by Nicholas Cook in the behalfe of himselfe and severall of his Neighbours the Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham living neer to Mendon upon Consideration that they are new beginers there and Summe of them very poore it was put to the vote of the Town whither they will refrain assessing of them and puting them to bear publick Charges with us in the two years next Coming after the the year 1705 This was answered in the afirmative

Vpon a motion made by Joseph Daniells for sattisfaction for a high way layed out in his land John Smith & John Rice are Chosen a commity to vew his Damage and to make him reasonable satisfaction according to the best of their Judgment out of the Common land neer a Joyning to the land of said Joseph Daniells

Also upon this Day M[r] Nelson Came Into the Town meeting and tendered that in Case the Town would setel and maintaine the new way to na-

ponset that himselfe and his wife would grant and Confire the way to foull medow to the town forever provided the Town doe make and maintaine a good geate in His fence upon the way to said med—

There upon the Town have this Day Chosen Capt Daniell Fisher Capt Sam^{ll} Gvild and Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery a commity to treat with sd Mr Nelson and to agree with him about said ways and whatsoever they Judge messessery in the behalfe of the Town and to gieve and also reseive Confirmation thereof

March 8 170$\frac{5}{6}$ Assembled John Fuller Nathanaell Gay Deacon Joseph Wight John Smith and William Avery selectmen

The selectmen this day taking into Consideration that the way from the house of John Smith to Andaw Dewins is needfull to be layed out further untill it Comes to the Road leading from Sherborn to the Falls and the Commity appoynted to lay out said way not having made return of their doings thereon the selectmen doe this day appoynt Serg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery & Thomas Fuller the abovesaid Commity a Commity to lay out the highway from the house of John Smith sen^{r} by the house of Jonathan Dewing and so forwards to the Corner of the land of Jonathan Gay and from thence to Sherborn Road aforesaid where it may be most Convenient for the Towns use and least damage to perticuler persons

1706 April 22 Received of John Deane late Constable of the arrears of the salary Commit—to said Constable to Colect for the year 1704 one pound nineteen shillings and ten pence

Aprill 26 Assembled John Fuller Deacon Joseph Wight Nath Gay John Smith & William Avery selectmen having received a notification from m^{r} Robert Searle to send men to run the line between Dorchester and Dedham

The select men of Dedham being Assembled did Choos Capt Daniell Fisher John Deane and John Carpenter their agents to meet with Such as the selectmen of Dorchester have Chosen in order to run the line between Dorchester and Dedham and to attend Said work and performe it according to the former agreement of both Towns as it stands upon Record

(328) Aprill 26 the selectmen being assembled as before said doe agree and order that there be warrants given to the Constables to give notis to the freeholders and Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham that they are appoynted to meet at the meeting house upon munday the thirteenth Day of may next at 8 of the clock in the forenoon to Choos a Representati—and to order the building their bridges and to grant money to defray Town Debts.

May 13th 1706 The freeholders and other Inhabitants of this Town of Dedham being met upon Dve notis given made Choys of John Fuller their Representative for the year ensewing

It was put to the vote of the Town this Day whither they will foreg— the new bridge over Charls River and build a bridg at the place Caled the old Mill; this was answered in the Negative

It was further put to the vote of the Town whither they will Chose a Commity to vew the Cart bridge over Charls River onnto the Island and to Judg whither it be necessery to new build said bridg or whither it may be repayered for the present answared Negative

The Debts Dve from the Town being presented it was there upon put to their vote whither they doe grant an assessment of twenty one pound to pay said Debts this was answerad in the afirmative

It was further proposed to the Town whither they doe grant an assessment to be raised of twenty pounds to be raised for the maintinance of the schoole this was answered in the afirmative

The Towns busines not being full performed in the above said meeting the selectmen gave notis to the Town in the Conclution of said meeting to meet againe upon the fifteenth day of this Instant May after lecture to atend their busines Conserning their bridges & such other busines as they shall then find nessesery to be attended

May 15th 1706 The Town being met after lecture It was put to the vote of the Town whither the great bridge over Charls River leading to the Island shall be repayered for the present this was answered in the Afirmative

The great Bridg to the Island to be repaired It was further put to the vote of the Town whither the survayers of High ways shall take the advice and help of Capt Daniell Fisher & Leut John Baker in repayering said bridge this was answered in the afirmative

It was also put to the vote of the Town whlther the said bridge shall be now built the first opertunity for the geting of timber good and sutable this was answered in the afirmative

It was further put to the vote of the Town whither they Choos Capt Daniell Fisher & leut John Baker with the survayers to provide timber for said Bridge in the season of it this was answered in the afirmative

August 27 Assembled Nathanael Gay Joseph Wight John Smith & Wm Avery se'm— this Day Received of John Deane late Constable the full remainder Dve from said Constable of the schoole rate Commited into said Constables hand to Collect

August 30 1706 Assembled Nath Gay Joseph Wight John Smith & Wm Avery & proportioned the Country Rate of two hundred forty two pounds as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Wm Avery señ, Wm Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samll Holms, Sam

Thorp, Jonath Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Josiah Fisher, Sam^{ll} Whitting, Tim Whitting, Jonath Faierbank, Ezra Morse, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, Vid Exp Colburn, Mich Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Ben Colburn, Vig Fisher, Josh Fisher señ, Wm Bullard, Robert Avery, John Huntting sen, (329) John Huntting Juñ, Dan^{ll} Eames, Wm Robins señ, Joshva Clap, Peter Fales, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Jos Hartshorn, Samvell Clap, John Everit Juñ, Wm Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Sam^{ll} Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Sam^{ll} Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, Sam^{ll} & Timothy Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, Wm Robins Juñ, Benj Genory, John Farington Juñ, John Deane Juñ, Joseph Wight Juñ, Isaac Everit, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Sam Fuller, Benj Onion, John Haws, Asahel Smith, Sarg^{t} James Fales, Constable Huntings part the totall 115—0—0

Capt Dan^{ll} Fisher, De Joseph Wight, Tho Fisher, Jer Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay señ, Vid Precila Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson Sen, Tho Hall, Joseph Smith, Nath Richards Señ, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leu^{t} Jos Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis señ, Josiah Newell, Isaac Genory Señ, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard señ, Tho Ockinton, Leu^{t} John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nath Gay señ, Comfort Starr, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, Wm Eaton, Sam^{ll} Ware, Vid Hannah Ware, Serg^{t} Ele Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller señ, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michaell Metcalfe, Tho Fuller señ, Tho Fuller Juñ, John Aldis, Nathan^{ll} Haws, Ephram Wilson Juñ, John Braket, Nath Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Nath Richards Juñ, Ralph Day, John Bullard, Eleazer Metcalfe, Thomas Metcalfe, Ebenezer Braket, Ephram Wight Juñ, Samll Wight Juñ, Vid Hanah Alline, Jonath Boyden, James Richards, Edward Richards, James Hering, Jonath Whitting, Jonath Draper, Constable Metcalfes part the totall 86—0—0

Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benj Mills Señ, Benj Mills Juñ, Sam^{ll} Mills, Joseph Mills, William Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Sen, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jeremi Woodcock, Sam^{ll} Bacon, Sam Aldridg, Robert Cook, Sam^{ll} Parker, Josia Kingsbery, Math Ockinton, Steven Bacon, Joseph Comin, Joseph Barber, Jonath Dewing, Henry Aldine, Math Tomblin, Sam Wodkins, Tim Kingsbery, Andraw Wodkins, Christopher Smith. the totall 41—0—0

Constable Daniells part

Also the Town Rate and schoole Rate are proportioned as foloweth and being both proportion to the same sum doe both refer to the folowing list to

Know each perticuler persons proportion in each of them [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Timothy Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Wm Avery Señ, Wm Avery Juñ, Joseph Faierbank, James Maknab, Samvell Holms, Samvell Thorp, Jonath Fuller, Vid Sarah Metcalfe, Josiah Fisher, Sam Whitting, Tim Whitting, Jonath Faierbank, Ezra Morse, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, Exp Colburn, Michaell Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Ben Colburn, Vig Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, William Bullard, John Huntting Sen, John Huntting Jnñ, David Eams, William Robins Señ, Robert Avery, Joshva Clap, Peter Fales, Eben Deane, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Samvell Clap, John Everit Juñ, William Everit, Barakiah Lewis, John Farington Señ, Eleazer Fisher, John Deane señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samll Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samll Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Samll Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, Sargt James Falls, John Ellis, Samll & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe Juñ, Joshva Fisher Juñ, William Robins Juñ, Benj Genory, John Farington Juñ, John Deane Juñ, Joseph Wight Juñ, Isaac Everit, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Samll Fuller, Benj Onion, John Haws, Asahel Smith. The totall is 11—12—9

This part of the Town rate & schoole rate is Constable Hunttings part to Collect

Capt Daniell Fisher, De Joseph Wight, Thomas Fisher, Jeremiah Fisher, John Battele, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay Señ, Vid Precila Pond, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson, Thomas Hall, Nath Richards Sen, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Joseph Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Josiah Newell, Isaac Genory Señ, Daniel Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Smith, Joseph Bullard señ, Tho Ockinton, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Nath Gay Señ, Comfort Starr, John Carpenter, Amos Fisher, Wm Eaton, Vid Hannah Ware, Sargt El Kingsbery, John Woodcock, (330) John Fuller, Vid Hannah Aldridg, Michael Metcalfe, Tho Fuller Señ, Tho Fuller Juñ, John Aldis, Nathanael Haws, Ephram Wilson Juñ, John Braket, Nath Gay Juñ, Daniell Fisher Juñ, Samvell Ware, Nath Richards Juñ, Ralph Day, John Chickring, John Bullard, Eleaz Metcalfe, Thomas Metcalfe, Ebenezer Braket, Ephram Wight Juñ, Sam Wight Juñ, Vid Mary Aline, Jonath Boyden Juñ, James Richards, Edward Richards, James Hering, Jonath Whitting, Jonath Draper.

This part of the Town Rate and schoole rate are Constable Metcalfes part to Colect The totall sum is 8—17—6

Andraw Dewing, Jonath Gay, John Fisher, Ebenezer Ware, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benj Mills Señ, Benj

Mills Juñ, Sam[ll] Mills, Joseph Mills, Wm Mills, Ebenez Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith señ, John Smith Juñ, John Rice, Jere Woodcock, Sam Bacon, Sam Aldridg, Robert Cook, Samvell Parker, Josi Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton, Stephen Bacon, Joseph Comin, Joseph Barber, Jonath Dewing, Henry Aldin, Math Tomblin, Sam Wodkins, Tim Kingsbery, Andraw Wodkins, Christopher Smith, Richard Moore. The totall sum is 4—14—1

This part of the Town rate and schoole rate are Constable Daniellses part to Collect The County Rate is as foloweth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Mr Tim Dwight, Peter Woodward, Joseph Ellis Juñ, Wm Avery señ, Wm Avery Juñ, Jos Faiarbank, James Maknab, Sam Holms, Sam Thorp, Jonath Fuller, Sarah Metcalfe, Josiah Fsher, Sam Whitting, Tim Whitting, Jonath Faierbank, Ezra Morse, Tho Hering, Nath Colburn, Exp Colburn, Michael Dwight, Daniell Aldis, John Richards, Boaz Browne, Benj Colburn, Vigel Fisher, Joshva Fisher Señ, Wm Bullard, Robert Avery, John Huntting señ, John Huntting Juñ, David Eames, Wm Robins Señ, Joshva Clap, Peter fales, Ebenezer Deane, Eleazer Clap, Joseph Hartshorn, Samvell Clap, John Everit Juñ, Wm Everit, Baraki Lewis, John Farington Sen, Eleazer Fisher, John Aldis, John Deane Señ, Jonath Metcalfe, John Metcalfe, Samvell Everit, Capt John Everit, John Makerwithe, Samvell Stearns, Wm Makintosh, Nath Farington, Peter Thorp, Capt Sam Gvild, Ebenezer Fales, John Ellis, James Fales, Sam & Tim Gay, John Gay Juñ, James Makerwithe.[1]

September 17th 1706 The selectmen being enformed by John Gay one of the sirvayers that Capt Daniell Fisher Leut John Baker with the sirvayer of highways have provided timber according to the Towns desier and appoyntment at their meeting in May 15th 1706 to build the great bridg over Charls River leading on to the Island: and finding it difecult to Cary on said work in seting up and finishing Said bridg with Highway work seid selectmen being met at the bridg desired Cap[t] Daniell Fisher Leut John Baker with the sirveyers and Sarg[t] Eleazer Kingsbery to Cary on and finish said work and to Call in such help as is needfull and give an account thereof and said selectmen doe thereupon promis in behalfe of the Town that the nessesery Charges thereof shall be defrayed by the Tawn

December 25th 1706 the selectmen being met granted a bill of ten shillings to Leu[t] John Baker for the time the schoole was Kept in his house 00—10—00

170$\frac{8}{7}$ Assembled the selectmen febrvary 17th Reckoned with John Fisher lat Constable on account of the arrears of the salary Commited to

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[1] Table continued on Ms. page 331.

said Constable to collect and said Constable has payed in to the discharge of the whole of the same

Also reckoned with Benjamin Onion Constable on account of the Town rate & schoole rate Commited into said Constables hand to collect & said Constable has payed the whole of both said rats Also Reckoned on account of the arrears of the Salary comited to Said Constable to collect and the whole thereof is payed in by said Constable [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

(331) Joshva Fisher Juñ, Wm Robins Juñ, Benjamin Genory, JohnFarington Juñ, John Deane Juñ, Joseph Wight, Isaac Everit, Ralph Freeman Juñ, Sam Fuller, Benj Onion, John Haws, Asahel Smith. Constable Hunttings part to Collect the Totall is 2—0—11

Capt Dan Fisher, Deacon Joseph Wight, Tho Fisher, Tho Hall, Daniell Fisher Juñ, John Battele, Jeremiah Fisher, Anne & Jabez Pond, John Gay señ, Vid Mary Bullard, Daniell Wight, Ephram Wilson Señ, Ephr Wilson Juñ, Nath Richards Señ, Nath Richards Juñ, Amos Fisher, John Carpenter, Nath Gay Señ, Comfort Starr. Ralph Day, Leut John Baker, John Baker Juñ, Joseph Smith, Jonath Battele, John Bacon, Nath Chickring, Eleazer Ellis, Leut Jos Colburn, Nath Kingsbery, Joseph Ellis Señ, Josiah Newell, Isaac Genory, Daniell Draper, John Draper, John Mason, Joseph Bullard Señ, Tho Ockinton, Wm Eaton, Sam Ware, Vid Hañ Ware, Sargt Elea Kingsbery, John Woodcock, John Fuller, Vid Hañ Aldridg, Mich Metcalfe, Tho Fuller Señ, Tho Euller Juñ, Nath Haws, John Braket, Nath Gay Juñ, Tho Payn, Jonath Boyden, John Chickring, John Bullard, Elea Metcalfe, Tho Metcalfe, Eben Braket, James Richards, Edward Richards. Constable Metcalfes part to Collect the Totall is 1^{lb}—10^{s}—1^{d}

Ebenezer Ware, Andraw Dewing, Jonathan Gay, John Fisher, Joseph Haws, John Paine, Joseph Daniells, John Parker, Benj Mills Sen., Benj Mills Jun., Sam Mills, Joseph Mills, Willlam Mills, Ebenezer Mills, Ephram Ware, James Kingsbery, John Smith Sen., John Smith Jun., John Rice, Jeremiah Woodcock, Edward Cooke, Sam Bacon, Samvell Aldridg, Robert Cook, Sam Parker, Josiah Kingsbery, Mathias Ockinton, Steven Bacon, Joseph Commin, Joseph Barber, Jonathan Dewing, Henry Aldin, Mathew Tomblin, Timothy Kingsbery, Andraw Wodkins, Hezekiah Broad, Christopher Smith, Richard Moore. Constable Daniels part to Col— the Totall is 15^{s}—0^{d}

[The balance of records in this volume are found with the book reversed, commencing with page one at that end of the book, meeting the above record on this page.—Ed.]

[BOOK FIVE—BEGINNING AT REVERSE END.]

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[1] 22—10—1682 Reaconed with Ensi Thos Fuller upon the Acount of Satisfaction for keepeing the Townes Stock of ammonition and for pouder & lead deliuered out to the Seuerall Garrisons not yet returned and there is due to hime 3^{lb} 4^{s} 3^{lb}—4^{s}—0^{d}

there being pouder & lead delivered to Seuerall persons in time of the warrs which is not yet returned nor paide for: they are desired to bringe in the money for that pouder and Lead 1^{s} 3^{d} p pound for the pouder and 3^{d} p pound for the Lead between this and the 22 of janvary next: which being paide Ensign fuller will take it in full Satisfaction for the 3^{lb}—4^{s} and if it be not paide he expect it in money from the towne

Decemb: 1683 was paid to Ensi Fuller one pound ten shillings in money 1—10

Jun 1684 was paide eleaven shillings in money 0 11

Ensi Fuller have received of those that had pouder and lead delivered to them in Garrison time in or as money 2^{lb} 0^{s} 9^{d}

1703 The Contribution made for John Gill being Six pounds five shill 06—05 was left in the hand of William Avery till the selectmen met and Chose Thomas Fullar & John Smith to take cear of said John Gill & ordered to deliver three pounds of said money into their hands for his present releefe

fourteenth of septemb^{er} folowing twenty shillings more of said money was Delivered to John Smith to Reckon & Clear with Dockter Prescod on account of John Gill 15th of febrvary folowing was Delivered to Thomas Fuller twenty shillings and ten pence to procuer wooll for John Gills famely the same day at evening was Delivered to John Gill twenty four shillings and two pence to sattisfie Doctor Wheat and to pay for porke which said Gill had procured for his famelyes expence 06—05—00

December 25: 1706 Assembled the selectmen and appoynted John Fuller sen^{r} and John Smith sen^{r} a Commity to lay out a high way from the house of James Kingsbery to the house of Robert Cook and from thence to Charls River where it may be most Convenient for the Towns use and to the medow of John Smith by Sarg^{t} Eleaz Kingsbery Thomas Fuller & Ephram Wilson

febrvary 24: 170$\frac{8}{7}$ Assembled the selectmen & Comited a list of the arrears of the salary in to the hands of the Constables To John Huntting Constable a list with a warrant the Total sum thereof is eight pounds thirteen shillings & eight pence 08—13—08

To Joseph Daniells Constable with a warrant a list of eight pounds 08—00—00

To Michaell Metealfe Constable a warrant with a list of five pounds seven shillings and two pence 05—07—02

March 3d 170⅞ Reckoned with Michaell Metcalfe Constable one account of the schoole rate and Said Constable has cleered the whole thereof

Also Reckoned on account of the Town rate and there remains Dve to the Town from said Constable one pound sixteen shi 01—16—00

March 3d 170⅞ Att a generall Meeting of the freeholders Inhabitants and propria— of the Town of Dedham being met upon Dve notis given at the appoynted time to Choos selectmen and Town Officers

Elections are as foloweth William Avery is Chosen Town Cl— and one of the selectmen Nathanaell Gay is Chosen Town Treas— and one of the selectmen John Smith Eleazer Kingsbery and Timothy Whitting are Chosen selectmen and all for the year Ensvi—

(2) 170⅞ March 3d aforesaid Samvell Gay Ens Jonathan Metcalfe John Smith Senr Amos Fisher John Woodcock Eleazer Ellis Benjamin Mills Señ Joseph Hartshorn Survayers of High ways

Andraw Dewing John Ellis John Metcalfe are Chosen Constables the year Ensveing also Nicolas Cooke is Chosen Constable and pr—cipaly for that part of Dedham lying beyond Wrentham and neer to Mendon

170⅞ Capt Gvild Joseph Faierbank Benjamin Onion Joseph Daniells Tithi— men

John Gay señ Jeremiah Woodcock John Paine Ephram Wilson John Deane señ Barakiah Lewis Nicolas Cooke & Samvell Cooke fence vewers

It was put to the vote of the Town whither they will Choos three Consta— for this present year besides him wh— they Choos for the southwesterly part of the Town beyond Wrenth— and neer Mendon This was answ— in the afirmative

March 7th 170⅞ Assembled Nathanaell Gay Eleazer Kingsbery Timothy Whitting & William Avery sele—m—

Said selectmen did this day addminister an oth to the Severall persons herein under named belonging to their respective Offices to Andraw Dewing John Ellis & John Metcalfe Constables to Ens Jonathan Metcalfe Amos Fisher Eleazer Ellis Joseph Hartshorn Benj Mills and John Woodcock Survayers of High ways Ephram Wilson John Dea— Barakiah Lewis Jeremiah Woodcock fence Vewers Joseph Faierba—

Reckoned with Mr John Partridge schoole master for Keeping schoole one year and seven monthes in Dedham and there remains Dve to Said schoole master five poun— ten shilling this 7eh day of March above said

March 19th 1707 Assembled Nathanaell Gay John Smith Timothy Whitting & Wm Avery selectmen and then appoynted said William Avery to give to Samv— Gay the oath of a sirvayer of the highwayes

March 22 Said Samvell Gay take the oath of a sirvayer

Aprill 28 Assembled Nathanaell Gay John Smith Timothy Whitting & Wm Avery Selectm— Have Chosen Capt Daniell Fisher John Fuller & Timothy Whitti— & John Deane their Commity to meet with such of Dorchester as they shall sen— to run the line between the Towns of Dorchester and Dedham to performe said work according to the former agreement of Towns as it stands upon record

[The Records between the above date and the first date in the next volume may be found at the beginning of volume first. *Late entry.* Ed.]

(3) March 10 168⅞ a country Rate put into Asaell Smiths hands being one of the Constables amounting to 0—08—4 and a Rate put into the hands of Amos Fisher Constable which amount unto 9—16—4 being the other halfe of the aforesayd Countery Rate, as foloweth A Coppy of the Rate aforesayd put into the hands of Asaell Smith [*Table follows containing following names, figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Eld: Jno Huntting, Dea: Jno Aldis, Nath: Coalburne Senor, Lieft Nath Stearnes, Cornt Timothy Dwight, Ens Richard Ellice, Willm Deane, widd: Hester Fisher, Asaell Smith, Jno Richards, Jno Huntting, Sergt Tho: Metcalfe, Sergt Samll Guile, Sergt Willm Auery, Sergt Ezra Morse, Benj: Onion, Dan: Aldis, Josh: Fisher, Vigi: Fisher, Benj: Coalburne, Widdow Herring & Jno Herring, Nath Coalburne juner, Jno Coalburne, Widdow Whitting, Timo: Whitting, Jonath: Fayerbank, Josiah Fisher, Jam: Vale juner, Samll Gay, Robt Fuller, Pet: Woodward, James Thorpe, Jonath: Auery, Jonath: Fuller, Joseph Fayerbank, Benj Fayerbank, Jonath: Metcalfe, Jno Farrington, Widd: Furrington & Dan Furrington, Samll Bullard, Nath Furrington, Ralph Freeman, John Euerit, Samll Euerit, Jno Pidge, Tho: Clapp Sener, Jam Vale Sener, James Makanab, Jno Mackintosh Sener, Jam: Makerwithee Sener, Pet: Vale, Jno Makintosh juner, Jam: Mackerwithe juner, Widdow Barber, Tho Clapp juner, James Herring, The Country Rate aforesaid put into ye hands of Amos Fisher Jno Gay Sener, Ens: Tho Fuller, Lieft Dan: Pond, Robt Ware, Tho: Battelle, Nath: Bullard, Mich: Metcalfe, Jno Smith, Jno Eaton, Jno Payne, Jos: Damant, Eleaz: Kingsbery, Tho: Alderidg, Jno Rice Sener, Jno Rice juner, Jno Fuller, Samll Milles, Benj Milles, Samll Barber, Epher: Ware, Samll Rice, Jno Gill, Andr: Dueing, Widd Dueing & Jonath Dueing, (4) Hen: Wilson, Epher: Wilson, Dan: Wight, Jno Gay juner, Jonath: Gay, Edw: Cooke, Jno Fisher, Jno Ellice, Jonath: Battelle, Jos: Wight, Dan: Fisher, Nath: Chickering, Jno Battelle, Edw: Hawse, Tho Fisher, Tho: Hall, Robt Auery, Nath Kingsbery, Tho: Payne, Jno Mason & Tho Hockinton,

Jn° Baker, Nath Gay, Comf: Starr, Ralph Day, Widdow Bacon, Dan: Bacon, Jn° Bacon, Nath Richards, Amos Fisher, Jn° Deane, Sam^{ll} Coalburn, Joseph Coalburne, Isaac Chinery Senr, Isaa Chinery jun^{r}, Nath Hawse, Sam^{ll} Bacon.

—ct : 23 –687 A Countery Rate made at one peny p^{r} pound, by virtue of a warrant from Jn° Lsher Esqr Countery Treasurer to be gathered in by Asael Smith Constable as followeth [*Table follows containing following names, but figures here omitted. See Introduction.*]

Dea Jn° Aldis, Nath Coalburn Senr, Lieft: Nath: Stearnes, Capt Timo: Dwight, Ens: Rich: Ellice, Willm Deane, Wid: Hester Fisher, Asaell Smith, Jn° Richards, Jn° Huntting, –erg^{t} Tho: Metcalfe, Serg^{t}: Sam^{ll} Guile, Serg^{t} William Auery, -erg^{t} Ezra Morse, Benj Onian, Dan: Aldis, Josh: Fisher, Vigi: Fisher, Vid Herring & Tho: Herring, Nath Coalburn jun^{er}, Jn° Coalburne, Wid Whiteing, Timo: Whiteing, Jonath: Fairbank, Josia: Fisher, Jam: Vale jun^{er}, Saml Gay, Pet: Woodward, Jam: Thorp, Dr Jonath Auery. Jonath Fuller, Joseph Fayrbank, Benj Fayrbank, Jonath. Metcalfe, Jn° Furrington, Sam: Bullard, Nath Farrington, Ralph Freeman Senr, Jn° Euerit, Sam: Euerit, Jn° Pidge, Tho: Clapp Senr, Jam Vale Senr, Jam: Mackanab, Jn° Mackintosh Senr, Jam: Mackerwithe Senr, Jn° Mackintosh jun^{r}, Wid: Barber, Tho Clapp jun^{er}, Jam Herring, Jedi: Euerit, Jn° Hawse, Nile Mackia, Pet Thorpe, Jam: Mackerwithe jun^{er}.

(5) The Second part of the aforesayd Rate to be gathered by Amos Fisher Cons

Jn° Gay Sen^{er}, Ens Tho Fuller, Lief^{t} Dan: Pond, Robt Ware, Tho: Battelle, Nath: Bullard, Mich: Metcalfe, Jn° Smith, Jn° Eaton, Jn° Payne, Jos: Damant, Eleaz Kingsbery, Tho Alderidg, Jn° Rice Sen^{er}, Jn° Rice jun^{er}, Jn° Fuller, Sam: Milles, Benj Milles, Sam: Barber, Epher: Ware, Sam Rice, Jn° Gill, Andr: Duein, Vid Dueing & Jonath Duein, Hen: Wilson, Epher: Wilson, Dan: Wight, John Gay jun^{er}, Jonath: Gay, Edw Cooke, Jn° Fisher, Jn° Ellice, Jonath Battelle, Joseph Wight, Dan: Fisher, Nath Chickering, Jn° Battelle, Edward Hawes Estate, Tho: Fisher, Tho Hall, Robt Auery, Nath: Kingsbery, Tho: Payne, Jn° Mason & Tho Hockinton, Jn° Baker, Nath Gay, Comf: Starr, Ralph Day, Wid Bacon, Dan: Bacon, Jn° Bacon, Nath: Richards, Amos Fisher, Jn° Deane, Sam Coalburn, Jos: Coalburn, Isaac Ginery Sen^{er}, Isaac Ginery jun^{r}, Nath Hawse, Sam: Bacon, Sam: Alderidg.

[*January 9 168$\frac{7}{8}$A ssembled Capt Timothy Dwight, Lieft Daniell Pond, Ens Richard Ellice, James Thorpe, & Tho: Battelle]

(6) An account of rent of schoole money in the hand of Leut Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer 1698 July 20th eighteen shillings 00—18—00

170$\frac{9}{1}$ febrvary eight and eight pence of rent from the Commity that Sold the Schoole farme 00—08—08

1701 March 26 Received of John Hunting sen^er^ and delivered by the abouesaid Commity to Leu^t^ Samvell Gvild rent of schoole money twenty four shilling 01—04—00

1702 March 9 Received of Capt Daniell Fisher Sarg^t^ Eleazer Kingsbery and John Baker the Commity which sold the schoole farme twenty five shillings which Said Commity Received of John Huntting Sener being rent for schoole money & is Delivered into the hand of Leu^t^ Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer 01—05—00

170⅔ March 15 Received of John Huntting Sener on account of the rent of schoole money above mentioned twenty five shillings & delivered to Leu^t^ Samvell Gvild town Tresurer 01—05—00

Received of Timothy Whitting ten shilling on account of rent of money of the schoole farme 00—10—00

June 1702 Received of John Fisher 01—00—00

March 1703 Received of John Fisher on account of rent for schoole money 01—00—00

June 1702 Received of Thomas Fuller on account of rent for schoole money 01—00—00

Janvary 10th 170¾ Rece^d^ of Tho Fuller ten shillings of rent for schoolem̄ 00—10—00

May 1702 Vid Anne Pond ten shilling on account of rent for schoolem 00—10—00

March 1703 Rec^d^ John Battele six shillings rent of schoole money 00—06—00

170⅔ Rec^d^ of Benj Onion five shillings rent of schoole money 00—05—00

May 24 1703 Re^d^ Eleazer Ellis ten shillings rent of schoole money 00—10—00

Aprel 5 1704 Re^d^ of Tho Ockinton two shilling rent of schoole money 00—02—00

Rec^d^ by Nath Farington Constable twelve and ten pene 00—12—00
this 12^s^ 10^d^ is in another account

Rec^d^ by Anne Pond four shillings rent 00—04—00

Received by Thomas Ockinton two shillings rent for schoole money 00—02—00

Dve from Capt Samvell Gvild on account of rent for schoole money 01—10—04

Sep 7 Received of Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery fifteen shilling rent for schoole money that is in the hand of said Kingsbery I Say received by me
William Auery

[*Sept the 11 day 1704 this fifteen shillings was payed] to Mr John Prentice schoole master & his Receit taken thereof 00—15—00

March 3^d 170⅘ Received of Leu^t John Baker ten shilling on account of Interest for schoole money in the hand of said John Baker Received by me William Avery 00—10—00

13—15

payed to Mr Prentice Schole after reckoning in october 1704

—704 Decem 27 Capt Gvild 01—01—00

March 23 by Capt Samvell Gvild 00—17—00

Aprill 17 1705 by Capt Gvild 00—08—00

Aprill 28 by Timothy Whitting 01—00—00

June 1 by William Avery the ten shillings Received of John Baker March 3^d 170⅘ and by lose of waitt in the money it is 8^s—9^d 0—08—09

These perticulers are reckoned for June 1: 1705 with mister prentise schoole master

170¾ Janvary 10 payed to Mr John Prentice schoole master by Capt Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer 11—13—00

March 8 To Mr Belcher on account of Mr Prentice above said seventeen 00—17—00

1704 September 11 payed to Mr John Prentice schoole master by William Avery fifteen shill 15—00

May 15 payed by Capt Samvell Gvild 00—10—00

The whole of this money above written was accounted for with Mr John Prentice schoole master in Reckoning with him October 27th 1704

17—9—3

(7) Deadham 8 January 169¾ Account of the money giuen by Doc William Auery: giuen for the incoragment of a Latin schoole in the Towne of Deadham as doth appear in seuerall mens tran

Due to the Towne from John Fisher as doth appear by— bonde under his hand £ s d 22—12—0

Due to the Towne from Josiah and John winchester as by a bonde vnder their hand doth appear 10—0—0

Due to the Towne From Thomas Fullar as by bond doth apper 10—0—0

Due to the Towne from Leut Danil Pond by his owne acknowledgment 5—0—0

Due to the Towne from John Farington as by bond under his hand doth apper 3—0—0

Due to the Towne from Benj: Milles as by bond vnder his hand apper 3—0—0

Due to the Towne from John Rice as by bond vnder his hand apper . 2—0—0

Due to the Towne from Serg[t] Samuell Guild as by bond vnder his hand apper 2—0—0

Due to the Towne From Amos Fisher 3—0—0

Due to the Towne From Cap[t] Nathaniel Starns as it doth appear 3—0—0

63—12—0

The aboue sayd bonds are left in the hand of Leut Danill Ponds hand which do belonge to the Towne

Dedham Febrvary 17 : 1695–6 the Select men being this day assembled our Reverend Paster being present withe the Trustees of the schoole money

John Fishar Renewed his bond of	23[lb]—04[s]—00[d]
Leut Daniell Pond Gave bond for	05—00—00
Thomas Battele Gave bond for three pounds formerly in the hand of Benj Mills	3—00—00
Sarg[t] Samuell Gvild Renewed bond for	02—00—00
Nathaniell Bullard Gave bond for	01—10—00
John Rice renewed bond for	02—00—00
school money	36 14 00

[1](12) [*Dedham march the 8th 169$\frac{8}{7}$ an account of money Received on the Towns account of the persons under named

of Leu[t] Samvell Gvild payed for a bell rope	0—03—00
and to Amos Fisher for a way to the church medow	11—00
and fover shiling to Vigelence Fisher	00—04—00
and for a coppey of the courts order for stating the line between Roxbery and Dedham	0—00—06
more payed to Amos Fisher twenty nine shillings being the remainder of forty shillings for the way to the Church medow	1—09—0
To Eleazer Fisher four shillings over charged to him in his rates	0—4—00
To John Deane for laying out land to the church	03—00
To Vigelence Fisher for abell rope two shillings	02—00
To John Triscot for leting down the saw mill dame	01—4—00

the above written is reckned and balanced in the reckning 24 of febrvary 170$\frac{9}{1}$

1701 May 7 Received of Leu[t] Samvell Gvild and delivered into the hand of Cap[t] Daniell Fisher to procure pouder for the Towns use three pounds twelve shilli 03—12—00]

[1] [Pages 8, 9, 10 and 11, inclusive, are blank.]

July 9 1701 Received of John Alldis and Peter Hanchat of Roxbery five pounds in money which said John Aldis and Peter Hanchat doe in the behalfe of themselves and the rest of their neighbovrs in Roxbery give to our Town of Dedham to bear a part of the charge in repayering of our meeting house Received by me William Avery Senr of Dedh— 05—00—00

July 16th 1701 After lectur delivered to Leu^t Samvell Guild Town Treasurer the five pounds above menttioned that was Received of Roxbery men by me William Avery by order of the selectmen for the use above mentioned in Repayering the meeting 05—00—00

March 24: 170⅔ Received of John Alldis and Peter Hanchet of Roxbery five pounds in money in the behalfe of themselves and their Neighbour in Roxbery which they give towards the bearing a part of the Charge in repayering of our meeting house in Dedham Received by me William Avery 05—00—00

Aprill 5: 1703 Delivered to Leu^t Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer the five pounds Received of John Alldis and Peter Hanchet of Roxbery March 24: 170⅔ above expressed 05—00—00

[*To Capt Daniell Fisher by Capt Sam Gvild 0—16—00]

December 3: 1705 Received of Sarg^t Eleazer Kingsbery ten shillings on account of wrent for the schoole money in the hands of said Eleazer Kingsbery one of the Commity 00—10—00

December 11 1705 the ten shillings above written is payed to Mr John Partigg in part of that which is Dve to him for Keeping schoole in Dedham. 00—10—01]

(18) Dedham June 11: 1694 An accompt wherein is Due to the Town as followeth

[*from Sarg^t Samuell Guild Town Tresuerer for mony Received by him out of the Towns Stok of pouder the 11th of June 1694 thirty seuen shilings

	lb	s	d
	01	17	00

June 3: 1695 from Sarg^t Samuell Guild Town Tresverer for money delivered into his hand out of the Towns Stok of pouder three pounds thirteen shilings and six pence 03—13—06

June 13 1696 from the Town treasurer more aight shilings for pouder 00—08—00

by Jonathan Gay for rent of medow towards Sudbery 00—06—00

November 30 from Leut Samvell Gvild in money. 00—04—00

from Lev^t Samvell Guild on account of money Received of Jonath Gay for rent of medow 00—08—00

169⅞ March 8 from Leut Samuell Guild for money Received of Jonathan Gay for rent of medow 08—00

1698 June 13 from Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild eight shilings Received by John Smith from Jonathan Gay on acount of rent for medow towards Sudbery 08—00

July 20 from Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild eighteen shiling of rent for the schoole money left in his hand as Treasurer 00—18—00

this 18^{s} is entered in an other account

170$\frac{9}{1}$ Reckoned this 24 day of febrvary with Leu^{t} Samvell Gvill Town Treasurer and there is upon balance of the accounts above written due to the Town three pounds nine shilli 03—09—00

the wrent of the schoole money is not in this account

Nov 4th 1703 for wrent of the Towns medow of Mr Alline for 4 years past 00—12—00]

July 16th 1701 for five pounds Received of Roxbery men delivered to leu^{t} Samvell Gvild 05—00—00

[*170$\frac{5}{4}$ Janvary 10 Delivered to Capt Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer 00—07—00]

Reconed with Capt Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer this 10 day of Janvary 170$\frac{3}{4}$ and this account is even upon balance the meeting house rate and the money given by Roxbery men is not accounted for in this Reckoning 00—00—00

170$\frac{3}{4}$ Febr 19 To Capt Sam^{ll}: Gvild by Nath Farington late Constable twelve shill ten pence 00—12—10

by Thomas Hall late Constable ninteen shillings & four pence 00—19—4

by Ezra Morse lat Constable twelve shilling 00—12—00

May 15 payed by Capt Samvell Gvild on the Towns account

To Daniell Draper in part for two Wolves heads thirteen shilling 3^{d} 00—13—03

To Joshva Fisher in part of a bill Dve to him 00—05—07

To Mr Belcher two shillings 00—02—00

To the Court Charges. ten shillings to the sheref & twelve to law 01—02—00

November 20th reckoned with Capt Samvell Gvild upon the account of the perticulers above entred both of Debt and Credebt and the whole is balanced with Said Capt Samvell Gvild late Town Treasurer by the selectmen in abill of eighteen shillings and eight pence granted to him this 20th of November abovesaid

(14)May 18th 1695 · An account of bills Granted

To John Baker twenty shilings in money in part of pay for building the schoole house 01—00—00

*Erased in original.

June 20 To William Avery for money lent to pay for glasse & naills for the meeting house & paper 1s 00—13—06

To Josiah Fishar to receive five shilings for runing the line between Dorchester & Dedham in the year 1691 00—05—00

June 24 To Mr John Woodward Schoolemaster to Receive of Comfort Starr & Daniell Alldis Constables Ten pounds Sixteen shilings out of the Schoole Rate for Keeping the Schoole one qvarter & Seven weeks 10—16—00

October 3 To Sargt Thomas Metcalfe three pounds & four shilings being the whole which remains Due to him for his Service as Representative 03—04—00

Desember 23 To Capt Timothy Dwight to Receive of Nathaniell Kingsbery Colector Eleven shilings & Eleven pence in part of the remaining Dve to him as Representative 00—11—11

Desember 23 To John Ellis as Administrator to the Estate of Leut Richard Ellis decesed nine shilings for runing the line between Dedham Wrentham & Mendon 00—09—00

Desember 30 To Samvell Gay to Receive of Benjamin Onion late Constable nine shilings for runing a line between Wrentham Mendon & Dedham 00—09—00

Desember 30 To Joshva Fisher to receive of the Constables two pounds five shilings & three pence for Entertaining the Town & Selectmen in the years 1693 1694 02—05—03

January 4th 1695-6 To Mr Timothy Dwight to Receive of Daniell Alldis & Comfort Starr Constables out of the Town Rate nine pounds thirteen shilings and one peny being the whole Remaining due for his Service as Representative 09—13—01

Janvary 6 169⅝ To Jonathan Metcalfe twelve shilings on account of a wolves head & Runing the line between Dorchester & Dedham 00—12—00

Janvary 6 To Capt John Everid to receive eighteen shilings out of the Town rate for a wolves head & runing the line between Dorchester & Dedham in the years 1685 & 1694 00—18—00

January 27 To Timothy Whiting to Receive two shilings for runing the line between Dorchester & Dedham 00—02—00

February 17 To Thomas Fullar to Receive nine shilings for runing the line between Dedham Wrentham and Mendon 00—00—00

To Eleazer Kingsbery for Sawing planck 00—04—00

To Boaz Brown for new stauing the meeting house ladar four shilings 00—04—00

To Nathaniell Kingsbery to Receive of the Constables thirty six shilings a qvarter part abated it money 01—16—00

To Benjamin mills to Receiue ten shilings on account of a wolves head aquar abate 00—10—00

To John Deane to Receive three shilings in money out of the Town Rate in the hand of Dan[ll] Alldis Const for a Corde of Wood to the wido Everid bolts for door & windos 00—03—00

To John Ellls as administrator to the estate of leu[t] Ellis to Receiue of Daniell Alldie Constable six shilings money for runing Natick line 00—06—00

(15) An a Count of bills payed by the Constabes

by John Smith Constable to John Baker money 01—00—00

1695 June the 20th by Benjamin Onion Constable to William Avery on a count of his bill thirteen shilings six pence 00—13—06

by Danell Aldis to Josiah fisher 00—05—00

Desember the 30 by Daniell Alldis Constable to M[r] John Woodward four pounds & one shiling as appers by receit under the hand of M[r] John Woodward to said Constable 04—01—00

by Comfort Starr Constable to m[r] John Woodward late schoole master five pounds eight shilings as appears by Mr John Woodwards Receit 05—08—00

To Deacon Thomas Metcalfe by John Smith Constable 01—08—08

by Benjamin Onion nine shilings to Samvell Gay 00—09—00

by Daniell Alldis to Joshva Fisher two pound five shil & 3[d] 02—05—03

by Comfort Starr Constable to m[r] Timothy Dwight four pounds sixteen shilings six pence 04—16—06

by Comfort Starr Constable twenty shilings 01—00—00

by Joseph Faierbank Constable fourteen shilings & six pence 00—14—06

To William Bullard by Daniell Alldis Constable for fastning the bell tongue 01—06

To Jonathan Metcalfe by Daniell Alldis Constable 00—12—00

To Cap[t] John Everid by Daniell Allds Constable 00—18—00

To Timothy Whiting by Daniell Alldis Constable 00—02—00

To Thomas Fullar by John Smith 00—09—00

To Eleazer Kingsbery by John Smith Constable four shiling 00—04—00

To Boaz Browne by Daniell Alldis Constable 00—04—00

To Nathaniell Kingsbery by Comfort Star Constable thirty six shi 01—16—0

To Benjamin Mills by John Smith constable ten sh 00—10—0
by Daniell Alldis constable to John Deane 00—03—00
by Daniell Alldis to John Ellis six shilings money 00—06—00
by Comfort Starr Constable to m^r^ Joseph Mors late schoole master as appears by Receit under Said Schoole masters hand 06—03—08

(16) An account of bills granted

To John Fullar to Receive of the Constable in money for runing Natick line 1694 four shilings sixpence 00—04—06

To Jonathan Gay to Receive of John Smith Constable four shilings and iu Case it be money abat a qvarter part 0—04—00

[*To Josiah Fisher to Receive five shilings for runing Dorchester line: 5—00]

this bill entred on the other side

To Mr Joseph Mors Schoole Master to receive of Samvell Bullard Constable five pounds & fouer shilings 05—04—00

To Mr Joseph Mors schoole master to receive of Joseph Colbarn Constable four lb Seventeen shilings & one peny 04—17—01

To Sarg^t^ Samvell Guild as Town Tresurer to receive of the Constables twenty nine shilings 01—09—00

To John Baker to Receive of John Smith lat Constable forteen shilings in pat of his dve as Reprsentative 00—14—00

Janvary 11 1696-7 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of Daniell Alldis Cons^t^ 02—01

To John Ellis Administrator to the Estate of Lev^t^ Richerd Ellis to Receive of John Smith Cons^t^ four pounds being the whole dve as Representative 04—00—00

To John Smith for runing Watertown line 00—02—03

To John Fuller to Receive of John Smith late Constable forteen shill & Seven pence in part of his Due as Representative 00—14—07

May 14th 1697 To Joshva Fisher for entertaining the Town at their publick meetings & the selectmen in the year 1695 and in the year 1696 three pounds two shilings and ten pence 03—02—10

May 24 To John Baker to Receive out of the Town Rate in the hands of Joseph Faierbank & Thomas Fuller Constables eight pounds five shilings and five pence being the whole remaining dve to him for his Service as Representative 08—05—05

may 24—To Sarg^{t} Thomas Metcalfe to Receive of Joseph Faierbank Constable out of the Town Rate three pounds & nineteen shilings dve for his service as Representative 03—19—00

may 24 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of the Constabes two pounds three shilings & eleven pence for his service in ringing the bell & sweeping the meeting house 02—03—11

June 18 To John Fuller to Receive of Thomas Fuller Constable Eight pounds eleven shilings and five pence Remaining dve to him for his Service as Representative Sixty two dayes 08—11—05

July 21 To Samvell Gay to Receive of the Constable fourteen shilings for Runing the lane between Dedham Wrentham and Mendon 0—14—00

August 21 To Mr Samvell Whitman Schoole master to Receive of Joseph Faierbank Constable of the schoole Rate Eleven pounds eight shilings & of Thomas Fuller Eleven pounds Sixteen shilng 23—4—0

(17) an acount of bills payed & returned by the constables

To John Fuller by John Smith four shil: & six pence 0—04—06

To Jonathan Gay by John Smith four shilings 00—04—00

To Sg^{t} Daniell Fishar five shilings by John Smith 00—05—00

To Mr Joseph Mors lat Schoole master by Joseph Colburn Constable as appears by Receit under Said Schoole master hand 4—17—0

To m^{r} Joseph Mors lat Schoole master by Leu^{t} Samvell Guild one pound sixteen shi 01—16—00

1697 August 18 To Mr Joseph Mors by Leut Samvell Guild twenty five shilings being the full of all dve to him for Keeping Schoole in Dedham as appears by Receit under Said Morses hand 01—05—00

To John Baker by John Smith lat Constable 00—14—00

To Vigelence Fisher by Daniell Alldis Constable 00—02—01

To John Ellis by John Smith lat constable four pounds 04—00—00

To John Smith out of the Town Rate in his hand 00—02—03

To John Fullar by John Smith late Constable 00—14—07

To Joshva Fisher by Joseph Faierbank Constable 3^{lb}—2^{s}—10^{d} 03—02—10

To John Baker by Thomas Fuller Constable five pounds five shilings & five pence 05—05—05

To John Bakeres order to Wm Avery by Joseph Faierbank Constable 03—00—0

To Deacon Thomas Metcalfe by Joseph Faierbank Constab in par of the afore written bill three pounds five & eight pence 03—05—08

[*To Vigelence Fisher by Tho Fuller Const Eleven shilings six pence 11—06]

To Vigelence Fisher twenty fouer shilings & ten pence by Joseph Faierbank 1—04—10

by Joseph Faierbank Constable to John Fuller three pounds ten shil 03—10—00

by Thomas Fuller Constable four pounds Eleven Shilings and five pence to John Fuller 04—11—05

To Samvell Gay by Thomas Fuller fourteen shilings 00—14—00

To m^r Samvell Whitman by Joseph Faierbank Constable 11—08—01

To m^r Samvell Whitman by Thomas Fuller Constable 11—18—01

(18) An account of bills granted

Sep^t the 6 1697 To Leu^t Daniell Pond to Receive of Thomas Fuller Constable out of the Town Rate six pound in part of that which is dve to him for making galeryes in the meeting house 06—00—00

Septem 22 To John Haws to Receive of Joseph Faierbanks Constable for wood to Vid Everid three shilings 00—03—00

Desem 8 to lev^t Samvell Gvild to Receive thirty shilings of Joseph Faierbank Constable on account & by order of John Baker in part of what is dve to Said Baker on account of the Schoole house 01—10—00

Desember 15 To leu^t Daniell Pond to Receive of Joseph Faierbank Constable ten shilings and six pence out of the town Rate in part of that which is dve to him for work in the meeting house 10—06

Desember 25 To Boaz Browne to Receive of Joseph Faierbank Constable five shilings & six pence for fastning seats in the meeting house & for bords naills & closing the windows 05—6

March 7 169$\frac{7}{8}$ To John Fisher to Receive of Thomas Fuller Constable five shilings for a hors block at the meeting house 0—05—00

To the widow Pond Executrix to the estate of Lev^t Daniell Pond Deceased to Receive of Thomas Fuler Constable four pounds out of the Town rate being the Fall that remained dve to that estate for galeryes & other work in the meeting house 04—00—0

June 3 1698 To Joshva Fisher to receive of Daniell Fisher Constable out of the Town rat two pounds thirteen shilings & ten pence being in full for entertainment of the Town at their publick meetings & the selectmen in the year 1697 02—13—10

June 8 To John Baker to receive of Peter Woodward Constable five pounds and of Daniell Fisher Constable five pounds out of the Town rate now in their hands being part of that which is dve to him on account of the Schoole House 10—00—00

June 9 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of the Constables two pounds and ten shilling for ring the bell & sweeping the meeting House in the year 1697 which is the whole for the year 02—10—8

June 15 To Nathanaell Bullard to Receive six shillings on account of Natick line runing 1697 00—06—00

To John Smith to Receive six shilling on account of runing Natick line 1697 & for laying out the schoole farme 0—06—00

To John Fuller to Receive six shilings for runing Natick 1697 00—06—00

June 22 To William Avery to Receive of Peter Woodward Constable twenty shillings out of the Town rate for money paye on the Towns account at Court & for runing Roxbery line writting for the Town & paper 01—00—00

June 27 To mr Timothy Dwight to Receive three shilings out of the Town rate for his laber in laying out the farme of three hundred acres for the schoole 00—03—00

August 3 To Samvell Whiting for runing Dorchester line in the year 1697 six shilings 00—06—00

(19) An account of bills payed and returned by the Constables

by Thomas Fuller Constable six pounds to the widow pond 06—00—00

by Joseph Faierbank Constable to John Haws 00—03—00

To Levt Samvell Gvild thirty shilings by Joseph Faierbank Const 01—10—0

To Anna Pond ten shilings and six pence by Joseph Faierbank Const 0—10—6

To Boaz Browne by Joseph Faierbank Constable 00—05—06

by Thomas Fuller Constable five shilings 00—05—00

by Daniel Fisher constable to the widow Pond in part of this four pound bill two pounds thirteen & Seven pence money 02—13—07

by Thomas Fuller to the widow pond one pound six & five pence 01—6—5

by Daniell Fisher Constable to Joshva Fisher in money 02—13—10

by Daniell Fisher Constabe to John Baker five pounds in money 05—00—00

by Peter Woodward Constable to John Baker five pounds 05—00—00

by Thomas fuller To Vigelence Fisher 00—11—06
by Daniell Fisher Constable to Vigelence Fisher 00—12—11
by Peter Woodward Constable to Vigelence Fisher 01—04—09
by Daniell Fisher constable to Nath Bullard six shilings 00—06—00
by Daniell Fisher Constable to John Smith six shilings 00—06—00
by Daniell Fisher Constable to John Fuler six shilings 00—06—00
by Peter Woodward Constable to William Avery twenty shilings 01—00—00
by Peter Woodward Constable to mr Timothy Dwight 00—03—00
by Peter Woodward to Samvell Whitting the Contra bill 00—06—00

(20) An account of bills granted

August the 5: 1698 To Sarg^t Thomas Metcalf to Receive of Peter Woodward Constable three pounds twelve shilings and six pence on account servis as Representative 03—12—06

September the 14 To Capt John Everit to Receive twelve shilings of Peter Woodward Constable for his service in runing Dorchester line in the years 1682 & 1697 00—12—00

October 12 To John Deane to Receive of Peter Woodward Constable Seven shilings on account of his service upon Natick line 07—00

November 18 To John Ellis to Receive of Peter Woodward Constable out of the Town Rate twenty shilings for aplat of the Towns land on the North side of Charls River 01—00—00

November 19 To Ezra Mors to Receive fifteen shilings for the use of his house for a schoole 00—15—00

Desember 10 To Mister John Woodward to Receive twenty shilings being the full of all that did remaine Dve to him for Kepping the schoole in Dedham 01—00—00

169$\frac{8}{9}$ January 4 To Peter Woodward Constable to Pay unto m^r John Fox schoole master three pounds two shiling six pence also to m^r John Fox to receive of Daniell Fisher Constable three pounds 2^s 6^d out of the schoole rate 06—05—00

Febrvary 16 To John Baker to Receive of Daniell Fisher Constable thirty two shilings & six pence in full of all dve to him for the schoole house 01—12—6

169$\frac{8}{9}$ March 14 To Peter Woodward lat Constable to pay unto Mr John Fox Schoole master three pounds three shilings and eight pence out of the schoole rate

To Sarg^t Daniell Fisher late Constable to pay unto Mr John Fox schoole master out of the schoole rate three pounds two shilings and six pence 06—06—02

April 27 To Thomas Fuller late Constable to pay unto John Woodcock out of the Town rate twenty shilings for his tendance of Peter Wodkins in his late sikness 01—00—00

1699 June 7 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of the Constables two pounds ten shilings out of the Town Rate for ringing the bell and sweeping the Meeting house in the year 1698 02—10—00

June 20 To Asahell Smith to Receive of John Everit Constable Six pound in part of pay for his Service as Representative 06—00—00

July 3 To Deacon Thomas Metcalfe to receive of John Everit Constable Six pounds fifteen shilings and apeny being the whole remaining due for his service as Representative & being part of a bill to Joseph Faierbank & part of a bill to peter Woodward late Constables & in part on account of three pounds dve which he had not before received a bill for 06—15—01

August 7 To John Fuller to receive of Thomas Fuller late Constable thirteen shilings & Six pence ten whereof was not payed of a former bill for service as Representative 13—6

To John Fuller to receive of Barakiah Lewis constable thirty eight shilings & Six pence being the whole remaining Dve to him for his Serves as Representative 01—18—06

(21) An account of bills payed & returned

by Joseph Faierbank Constable to Thomas Metcalfe 01—05—03

by Peter Woodward Constable to Thomas Metcalfe 00—10—09

by Peter Woodward Constable To Capt John Everid twelve shil 0—12—00

by Peter Woodward to John Deane seven shilings 00—07—00

by Peter Woodward lat Constable to John Ellis twenty shilings 01—00—00

To Ezra Mors by Barakiah Lewis constable fifteen shilings 00—15—00

To m^{r} John Woodward twenty shilings by Joseph Faierbank constable 01—00—00

To mister John Fox by Barakiah Lewes Constable as apper by receit under Said foxes hand the sume of six pounds fifteen shilings 06—15—00

To m^{r} John Fox by Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild out of the Schoole money forty shilings 02—00—00

To m^{r} John Fox by Leu^{t} Samvell Guild five pounds ten 5—10—00

To mister John Fox schoole master by Daniell Fisher Constable 03—02—06

To mr Fox by John Richards Constable Six pound two shillings as appear by Receits under his ha— 6—02—00

To John Baker by the Town rate in his own hand as Constable thirty two shilling it not being discharged by Daniell Fisher 01—12—00

[*To mr John Fox by Capt Fisher three pound two & six pence 3—02—6

Barakiah Lewis Constable three pounds as apeer by receit under Said foxes hand baring Date 23 of october 1699 this is entered above in the Six pounds & fifteen shilings 03—00—00]

To John Woodcock by Thomas Fuller Constable twenty shilings 01—00—00

To Vigelence Fisher by Barakiah Lewis Constable thirty seven & ninpence 01—17—09

To Vigelence Fisher by Capt John Everit Constable of the contra bill 12—03

To Asahell Smith by Capt John Everit one the bill 06—00—00

To Deacon Thomas Metcalfe by Capt John Everit Constable in part of the Contra bill five pounds 05—00—00

To Deacon Thomas Metcalfe by Nathanaell Farington Constable 00—09—07

To John Fuller by Thomas fuller Constable 00—13—06

To John Fuller by Barakiah Lewis thirty eight shilings & Six pence 01—18—6

(22) An account of bills Granted

august 8: 1699 .To Joshva Fisher to receive of Barakiah Lewis Constable three pounds eighteen shilings and seven pence in full of all dve to him for entertaining the Town in their publick meetings and the select men in their Severall meetings in the year 1698 03—18—07

August 23 To Ensig Boaz Browne to Receive of Barakiah Lewis Constable four shiling for work dun at the meeting house 1698 00—04—00

28 To Jonathan Metcalfe to Receive five shilings for the Church lot line 00—05—00

Sept 4 To Jonathan Gay to Receive of Barakiah Lewis Const five shilings and six pence out of the Town Rate for his laber in runing Watertown line in the year 1696 & in laying out the schoole farme in the yeare above Said 05—06

Desember 4 · To John Deane to Receive of the Constable six shilings for his service in Serching for the line of the Church lot at Saw mill in the year 1698 00—06—00

Desember 13 To Ensi Robert Avery to Receive three pounds twelve shilings & eleven pence of Barakiah Lewis Constable too pay for mending the meeting house glass in the year 1698 03—12—11

Janvary 8 To Asahell Smith to receive of Barakiah Lewis Constable two pounds five shilings being the whole remaining dve to him for his service as Representative 02lb—05s—00

Aprill 3: 1700 To Vigilence Fisher to receive of Thomas Fuller late Constable ten shilings on account of ringing the bell 1699 00—10—00

Aprill 17th To mr John Fox schoole master to receive of John Baker Constable six pounds fourteen shilings also to receive of John Richards Constable six pounds two shilings 12—16—00

June 8th To Vigelence Fisher to receive of the Constables forty shilings out of the town Rate being the whole that remained dve to him for ring the bell and sweeping the meeting house for the year 1699 02—00—00

June 10 To John Paine to receive of John Baker Constable for his Service in runing Watertown line in the year 1699 4—00

June 15 To Ensigne Boaz Browne to receive nine shilings of John Richards Constable five for hanging the meeting house bell and four due upon a former bill returned and not payed 00—09—00

June 19 To Barakiah Lewis to receive of the Constable twenty shilings out of the Town rate being part of the forty shilings dve for the new pound by order of Joseph Colburn 01—00—00

June 19 To Joseph Colburn to receive twenty five shilings out of the Town rate twenty shiling for the pound and five shilings for runing Medfield line in the year 1698 01—05—00

July 8 To Capt John Everit to Receive of John Richards Constable nine shilings out of the Town rate for runing Medfield line in the year 1699 & Dorchester line: 1700 00—09—00

July 8 To John Deane to Receive of John Richards Constable six shilings for runing Dorchester line 1700 00—06—00

July 8 To William Avery to receive of John Richards Constable eleven shiling five shilling for service to find out the line of the Church lot at Saw mill and six thereof for entering rates in the Town book from June 22 1698 to July 8: 1700 00—11—00

(23) An account of bills payed and returned

To Joshva Fisher by Barakiah Lewis Constable one pound 01—00—00
To Joshva Fisher by Barakiah Lewis two pounds 18s-7d 02—18—07
To Jonathan Metcalfe by Barakiah Lewis Constable 00—05—00
To Jonathan Gay by Barakiah Lewis Constable 00—05—06
To John Deane by Capt John Everit Constable six shilings 06—00

Desen 7 1699 To mr John Fox by capt John Everit Constable out of the schoole rat to Said Fox schoole master 00—14—01

october 11 1699 To m^r John Fox schoole master by Capt John Evert Constable three pounds eleven shillings and three pence & August 15 1699 thirty shilling & six pence 03—11—03
01—10—06

To Robert Avery by Barakiah Lewis Constable three pounds twelve shilings and eleven pence 03—12—11

To Asahell Smith one pound forteen shillings

To Asahell Smith by Barakiah Lewis seventeen shillings 00—17—00

To Vigelence Fisher by Thomas Fuller lat Constable ten shillings 00—10—00

To Vigelence Fisher by John Richards two pounds 02—00—00

To John Paine by John Baker Constable four shillings 00—04—00

To Ensigne Boaz Browne by John Richards Constable nine shill 00—09—00

To Barakiah Lewis by John Richards Constable one pound 01—00—00

To Joseph Colburn by John Baker Constable twenty five shillings 01—05—00

To Capt John Everit by John Richards Constable nine shilling 00—09—00

To John Deane by John Richards Constable six shillings 00—06—00

To William Avery by John Richards Constable eleven shillings 00—11—00

(24) An account of bills granted .

1700 July 17 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of the Constables seven pounds ten shillings being the wholle for his service as Representative for the year 1699 07^lb—10^s—00^d

July 17 To Joshva Fisher Señ to Receive of John Richards Constable two pounds ten shillings and six pence being the whole Dve for entertaining the Town and select men in the year 1699 02—10—00

November 11 To Ens Robert Avery to Receive of John Richards Constable thirty shilings for Keeping m^r Fox schoole masters hors 01—10—00

23 To Mr John Prentice schoole master to receive of John Baker Constable 03—02—06

To Mr John Prentice to receive of John Richards Constable 03—02—06

Desember 31 To Isaac Genery Senr to Receive of John Baker Constable eight shillings out of the Town rate for runing Medfield line Severall years 00—08—00

Janvary 29 1700-1701 To Leu^t Samvell Gvild to receive of John Richards Constable twenty five shillings to pay for bords procured by him of Ebenezer Falls for the meeting house 01—05—00

febrvary 10 To Benjamin Onion to receive of John Baker Constable two shillings and six pence for 6^{d} layed to mend the Town measures 1^{s}—6^{d} for a lock for the pound & 6^{d} for a groundsell 00—02—06

febrvary 12 To Ens Robert Avery to receive ten shillings of John Baker Constable for keeping John Prentis schoole masters hors ten weeks 00—10—00

febrvary 20 To m^{r} John Prentice schoolemaster to receive of John Baker Constable three pounds two shillings and six pence 03—02—06

To m^{r} John Prentice schoolemaster to receive of John Richards Constable three pounds two shillings & six pence 03—02—06

febrvary 24 To Benjamin Colburn for Killing two grown Wolves one pound 01—00—00

24 To William Avery Senr to receive one shilling nine pence 00—01—09

26 To William Avery Senr to receive of John Baker Constable for Keeping mr Foxes hors 26 shillings & five shillings and six pence being a part of 8^{s}—6^{d} pay by Said William for mending the schoole house glase 01—11—06

febrvary 26 To William Avery sen^{r} to receive of Peter Woodward lat Constable fourteen shillings & three pence being the remainder dve for money layed down for mending the schoole house glass & Ephr Wilsons Crow and entering assessments July 17 to Novem̃ 11 1700 00—14—03

febrvary 26 To m^{r} Timothy Dwight to receive of John Baker Constable for Keeping mr Foxes horse thirty shillings 01—10—00

June 30th 1701 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of the Constables out of the Town Rate three pounds two shillings six pence for Ringing the bell & sweeping the meeting house in full of all Dve till the Town meeting in march 1701 to him for said work 03—02—06

July 7 To m^{r} John Prentice schoole master to Receive of Benjmin Colburn Constable three pounds fifteen shillings & six pence and of Nath Farington Constable three pounds fifteen shilings & six pence twenty six shillings thereof he layed out for hay to Keep his Hors 07—11—00

July 24 To John Deane to receive of Nathanaell Farington six shillings for runing the line between Dorchester and Dedham 00—06—00

To Josiah Fisher to receive of Nathanaell Farington Constable twelve shillings for hay to Keep Sir Prentces horse 00—12—00

August 26 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of the Constables nine^{lb} eighteen shilling being the whole dve for service as representative for the year 1700 09—18—0

26 To Joshva Fisher sen to receive forty six shillings and two pence being the whole dve for entertaining the Town & selectmen for the year 1700 02—6—2

(25) An account of bills payed & returned by the Constables

To Capt Daniell Fisher by John Baker Constable seven pounds ten 07—10—00

To Joshva Fisher by John Richards Constable two pounds ten shillings and six pence 02—10—06

To En^{s} Robert Avery of the Contra bill bill by John Richards Canstab 01—04—07

by John Baker Constable to Mr John Prentis schoole master as appears by receit under Said schoolemaster hand 03—02—06

To m^{r} John Prentis schoolemaster by John Richards schoole master 03—02—06

To lev^{t} Samvell Gvild by John Richards Constable 01—05—00

To Benjamin Onion by John Baker Constable two Shilling & Six pence 02—06

To Ens Robert Avery by John Baker Constable ten shillings 00—10—00

To m^{r} John Prentice by John Baker Constable three pounds two shill & six pence 03—02—06

To m^{r} John Prentice by John Richards Constable three pounds two shilli six pence 03—02—06

To Benjamin Colbern by John Richards Constable one pound 01—00—00

To William Avery Sen by John Richards Constable 01—00—09

To William Avery Sen̄ by John Baker Constable out of the schoole rate one pound eleven and six pence 01—11—06

Received by peter Woodward Constable the Contra bill 00—14—03

To Mr Dwights by Nath Farington Constable thirty shillings 01—10—00

To Vigelence Fisher by Benj Colburn Constable twenty two & six pence 01—02—06

To Vigelence Fisher by Nath Farington Constable two pounds 2—00—00

To Mr John Prentice schoole master by Benj Colburn Constable 3—15—6

To said Prentice by Nath Farington Constable three pounds 15—6 3—15—6

To John Deane by Nath Farington Constable the Contra bill 00—06—00

To Josiah Fisher by Nath Farington Constable twelve shillings 00—12—00

To Capt Fisher by Benjamin Colburn Constable one pound three & nine pence 01—03—09

To Capt Fisher by Benj Colburn Constable three pounds eleven shillings 11^{d} 03—11—11

To Capt Fisher by Nath Farington Constable two pounds 1^{lb}—10^{s}—4^{d} 02—10—04

To Capt Fisher by Benjamin Colburn Constable 01—02—01

To Capt Fisher by Nath Kingsbery Const 7^{s}—7^{d} 00—07—7

To Joshva Fisher by Nath Farington as appears on the othere side of this lefe the Contra bill being twice entred 02—06—02

(26) Dedham 1701 An account of bills granted

Sept 20 To m^{r} John Prentice Schoolemaster to receive of Nathanaell Farington Constable three pound four shillings and six pence two shillings for Keeping a hors 03—04—06

To Said schoolemaster to receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable three pounds two shillings and six pence being the whole remaining Dve for Keeping schoole one year in Dedham the year ending the 8th of September 03—02—06

October 31 To Vigelence Fisher to receive three shillings of Nath Farington Constable for Keeping m^{r} Prentices horse 00—03—00

December 31 To Leu^{t} Samvell Gvild town Treasurer to receive of Nathanael Farington Constable three pounds twelve shillings out of the assessment made upon Cow Common rights one pound eight shillings to be payed to Leu^{t} John Ware to m^{r} John Gore ten shillings (there being ten already payed) and said Treasurer to receive one pound fourteen shillings dve to himselfe all for work done in settling Netick line 03—12—00

1702 Janvary 15 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable three pounds eighteen shillings out of the assessment made upon Cow Common rights one pound ten shillings there of to pay the first Commity sent by the Generall Court to Natick of which m^{r} Shermon was sirvaier and the other forty eight shillings to Sattisfie said Capt his own time and Charges 03—18—00

Janvary 24 To m^{r} John Prentice schoole Master to receive of Nathanael Farington Constable three pounds ten shillings and of Benjamin Colburn Constable three pounds ten shillings out of the schoole rate in their hands 07—00—00

Febrvary 26 To John Deane to Receive of Nathanael Farington Constable three pounds for his service at settling Natick line 03—00—00

febrvary 26 To John Smith to receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable one pound ten shillings for time expended in order to settling of Natick 1—10—0

febrvary 16 To Joshva Fisher to Receive of Nath Farington Constable forty six shillings and two pence for entertaining the Town and selectmen in the year 1700 02—06—02

febrvary 28 To John Baker to receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable forty shillings for his service in order to the settlement of natick of natick line 02—00—00

To John Deane to Receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable three pounds one shilling and six pence for his service in order to the settlement of Natick line this bill is entered above

28 To Nathanaell Bullard to Receive of Benjamin Colburn Constable six shillings for his service at Netick in order to settling the line 00—06—00

28 To Benjamin Colburn Constable to pay unto John Smith four shillings for service in Runing Watertown line 1699 00—04—00

June 30 To Vigelence Fisher to Receive of the Constables out of the Town Rate fifty shillings for Ringing the bell & sweeping the meeting house in the year 1701 02—10—00

July 21 To Capt Daniell Fisher to Receive of the Constables nine pounds three shillings for his service as Representative in the year 1701 09—03—00

(27) An account of bills payed & returned by the Constables

To m^{r} John Prentice schoole master by Benj Colburn Constable 3—2—6

To Said Prentice by Nath Farington Const three pounds 4^{s}—6^{d} 03—4—6

To Vigelence Fisher by Nath Farington Constable three shillings 00—03—00

To Capt Samvell Gvild by Nathanell Farington Constable three pounds twelve shillings 03—12—00

To Capt Daniell Fisher by Benjamin Colburn Constable three pounds eighteen shillings being the Contra bill 03—18—00

To m^{r} Prentice by Nath Farington Constable three pounds ten 03—10—00

To m^{r} Prentice Scooll master by Benjmin Colburn Constable 03—10—00

To John Deane by Nath Farington Constable 03—00—00

To John Smith by Benjamin Colburn Constable one pound ten shillings 01—10—00

To Joshva Fisher by Nath Farington Constable the Contra bill 02—06—02

To John Baker by Benjamin Colburn Constable two pounds 02—00—00

To Nathanaell Bullard by Benjamin Colburn Constable six shill 00—06—00

To John Smith by Benjamin Colburn Constable four shilli 04—00

To Vigelence Fisher by Thomas Hall Constable twenty five shilling 10d 01—05—10

To Capt Daniell Fisher by Thomas Hall Constable five lb four s 05—04—00

To Capt Daniell Fisher by Thomas Clap Constable 03—19—00

(28) 1702 An account of Bills granted

August 12 To William Avery Señ for entering assessments from November the eleventh to 1700 to July the 20th 1702 and for three shillings Dve for time expended at the Church lot at Saw mill thirteen shillings in the whole To be Received of Thomas Clap Constable 00—13—00

September 21 To Mr John Prentice to Receive of Thomas Clap Constable three pounds ten shillings And of Thomas Hall three pounds ten shillings out of the schoole Rate 07—00—00

Sept 21 To Sargt Eleazer Kingsbery to Receive of Thomas Hall Constable four shillings out of the Town Rat for time and labour expended in Removing Peter Hurd the child brought to the house of Samvell Aldridg out of Town 04—00

Sept 24 To Comfort Starr to Receive of Thomas Hall Constable thirty shillings out of the meeting house Rate 01—10—00

October 14th To Mr John Prentice Schoole master to receive of Thomas Clap Constable three pounds ten shillings And of Thomas Hall Constable three pounds ten shillings out of the schoole rate 07—00—00

November 17 To Comfort Starr to Receive of Thomas Clap Constable thirty shillings out of the meeting house Rate 01—10—00

Novem 24 To Ens Robert Avery to Receive of Thomas Clap Constable eight shillings out of the meeting house rate 08—00

December 4th To Joshva Fisher Señ to receive of Thomas Clap Constable forty seven shillings out of the Town rate being the whole dve to him for entertaining the Town and the select men in the year 1701 02—07—00

December 4 To Capt John Everit & Leut Samvell Gvild to receive of Thomas Clap Constable ten shillings for Kiling a wolfe 00 10 00

December 4 To John Baker Señ to receive Thomas Clap Constable twenty seven & of Thomas Hall Constable twenty three shillings out of the meeting house rat for work done at the meeting house 02 10 00

Janvary 11 To John Baker Señ to receive thirty shillings & Comfort Starr to receive thirty shillings out of the meeting house rate of Thomas Clap Constable 03 00 00

Janvary 11 To John Baker Señ to receive twenty shillings and Comfort Starr to receive twenty shillings of Tho Hall Constable 02 00 00

Janvary 26 To Capt John Everit to Receive of Nathanaell Farington late Constable four shillings & Six pence on account and by order of Capt Isaac Williams of Newtown as appear in writting under the hand of said Williams being dve to him for his service upon a commity about Natick line 00 04 06

170¾ Febrvary 8 To Benjamin Colburn for Keeping Mr Prentices horse 00 02 00

To Michaell Metcalfe for Keeping Mr Prenticis horse 00 02 00

Febrvary 8 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of Thomas Hall Constable twelve shillings and five pence for so much layed out for naills for repayering the meeting house 00 12 05

1703 April i To Comfort Starr to receive of Thomas Hall Constable twenty three shilling out of the meeting house rate 01 03 10

To Comfort Starr to receive of Tho Clap Constable eighteen s 0 18 00

Aprill i To John Baker Senr to receive of Thomas Hall Constable forty shillings out of the meeting house rate 02 00 00

June 22 To mr John Prentice to receive of John Deane Constable seven pounds out of the schoole rate 07 00 00

To m^{r} John Prentice to receive of Ezra Morse Consta Seven pounds out of the schoole rate 07 00 00

(29) An account of bills payed and returned

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by Thomas Hall Constable to Mr John Prentice schoole master 03 10 00

by Thomas Clap Constable to Mr John Prentice schoole ma^{s} 03 10 00

by Thomas Hall Constable to Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery four shilli 00 04 00

by Thomas Hall Constable to Comfort Starr thirty shillings 01 10 00

by Tho Hall Constable to Mr Prentis schoole master 03 10 00

by Tho Clap Constable to Mr Prentice schoole master 03 10 00

by Tho Clap Constable to Comfort Starr 01 10 00

by Tho Clap Constable to Robert Avery 00 08 00

by Thomas Clap Constable to Joshva Fisher Sen̄ 02 07 00

by Tho Clap Constable to Capt Everit & Capt Gvild 00 10 00

by Tho Hall Constable to John Baker Sen̄ 01 03 00

by Tho Clap Constable to John Baker sen̄ 01 07 00

by Tho Clap Constable to Comfort Starr 01 10 00

by Tho Clap Constable to John Baker 01 10 00

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by Tho Hall Constable to John Baker 01 00 00

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170¾ febrvary 8 by Benjamin Colburn Constable to himselfe and Michaell Metcalfe for Keeping m^{r} Prentices horse four shilling 00 04 00

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by Tho Hall Constable to Comfort Starr 01 03 10

by Tho Clap Constable to Comfort Starr 00 18 00

by Tho Hall Constable to John Baker señ 02 00 00

by John Deane to m^{r} Prentice Choolle master seven pounds 07 00 00

by Ezra Morse to Mr Prentice schoole master 07 00 00.

(80) An account of bills granted

1703 June 28 To Joshva Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable out of the Town Rate fifty three shillings and three pence for entertaining the Town and select men in the year 1702 02 13 3

July 7 To Vigelence Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable twenty five shillings & of Ezra Morse Constable twenty five shillings out of the town Rate for Ringing the bell and sweeping the meeting house in the year 1702 02 10 00

Septem̃ 20 To Asahel Smith to Receive of John Deane Constable six shillings out of the Town rate for service in taking bills and making a list 00 06 00

Sep^{t} 27 To Asahel Smith to receive of John Deane 0 00 08

October 19 To cap^{t} Daniell Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable five pounds twelve shillings and of Ezra Morse Constable five pounds ten shilling being Dve on account of his service as Representative for the year 1702 11 02 00

October 25 To John Draper to receive twenty shilling of Ezra Morse Constable for Killing two wolves one in the year 1702 the other October 25th 1703 01 00 00

November 3 To Comfort Starr to receive of Ezra Morse Constable fourteen shilling for work in the meeting house 00 14 00

To William Avery señ to receive of John Deane Constable six shilling out of the Town rate for entering assessments from June the 20th 1702 to febrvary the 8th 170¾ 06 00

To Capt Samvell Gvild to receive of John Deane Constable twenty shillings out of the Town Rate for servlce as Town Treasurer to the year 1703 01 00 00

December 15 To Mr John Prentice to receive of John Deane Constable five pounds thirteen shilling and five pence and of Ezra Morse Constable four pounds ten shillings and four pence 10 03 09

Janvary 7 To Jeremiah Woodcock to receive six shillings of Ezra Mose Constable for entertaining Anne Parker 06 00

Janvary 10 To Daniell Draper to receive of Tho Hall late Constable six shillings & nine pence being the whole remainder Dve on acount of the twenty shilling granted by the Town for Kiling two wolves 00 06 09

febravery 18 To Jonathan Faierbank to receive of John Deane Constable eight shillings out of the Town rate 00 08 00

febrvary 18 To Capt John Everit to receive of John Deane Constable ten shilling for Kiling a Wolfe according to town grant 10 00

[*1704 Sep^{t} 18 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable seven pounds in part of pay for his service as representative in the year 1703 this is aded to the other Constable 07 00 00]

Sep^{t} 18 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable ten pounds eleven shillings and three pence which together with the bill directed to John Deane Constable Contains the whole Dve to Capt Daniell Fisher for his service as representative in the year 1703 & for trying dorchester line and runing Netick lime together with five pounds to be payed by John Deane Constable 10 11 13
05 00 00

(81) An account of bills payed and returned by the Constables

To Joshva Fisher by John Deane Constable	02	07	08
To Joshva Fisher by Capt Samvell Gvild Town Treasurer	00	05	07
To Vigelence Fisher by Ezra Morse Constable	01	05	00
To Vigelence Fisher by John Deane Constable	01	05	00
To Asahel Smith to receive John Deane Constable	00	06	00
To Asahel Smith by John Deane Constable	00	00	08
To Capt Daniell Fisher by Ezra Morse Constable	05	10	00
To Capt Daniell Fisher by John Deane Constable	05	12	00
To John Draper by Ezra Morse Constable	01	00	00
To Comfort Starr by Ezra Morse Constable	00	14	00
To William Avery by John Deane Constable	00	06	00
To Capt Samvell Gvild by Ezra Morse Constable	00	12	00
To Mr Prentice schollemaster by John Deane Constable	05	13	5
To Mr Prentice by Ezra Morse Constable	04	04	4

To Jeremiah Woodcock by Ezra Morse Constable 00 06 00

To Daniell Draper by Thomas Hall Constable six & nine pence 00 06 9

To Capt John Everit by John Deane Constable ten shill 00 10 00

To Capt Daniell Fisher by Nathaniel Kingsbery Constable ten pounds eleven shilling and three pence 10 11 03

To Capt Daniell Fisher by John Fisher Constable twenty shillings 01 00 00

To Capt Fisher by John Deane Constable four pounds 04 00 00

(32) An account of bills granted by the selectmen

1704 Sep^{t} 18 To Asahell Smith to receive of John Deane Constable five shillings and six pence for going to William Robinses to parker powells Iland and the old mill 00 05 06

Sep^{t} 25 To Vigelence Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable fifty shillings out of the Town Rate for ringing the bell and sweeping the meeting house in the year 1703 02 10 00

25 To Joshva Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable fifty five shillings and four pence out of the Town rate for entertaining the Town & selectmen in the year 1703 02 15 04

25 To William Avery To receive of John Deane Constable fourteen shillings out of the Town Rate for entering assessments in the Town Book from febrvery the 8th 170$\frac{2}{3}$ to may the fifteenth 1704 & for a bolt for the meeting house Door and hooks and hinges for the schoole house door 00 14 00

October 4th To Capt Samvell Gvild to receive of John Deane Constable two pounds ten shillings in full for all his work and money expended at the meeting house 02 10 00

October 27th To Mr John Prentice schoole master to receive of John Deane Constable ten pounds ten shillings And of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable ten pounds ten shillings 21 00 00

October 27 To Comfort Starr to receive of Nathaniell Kingsbery Constable out of the Town rate seven shillings for making a doore for the school house and Cubard lock and snips bills 00 07 00

October 27 To Benjamin Onion to receive of John Deane Constable four shillings & Six pence out of the Town Rate for runing Roxbery line in the year 1704 & for a bell rope 00 04 06

November 10 To Lev^{t} Joseph Colburn to receive of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable six shillings out of the Town rate for runing Medfield line and laying out a high way over rock medow Brook by the house of Nathanaell Haws in the year 1704 00 06 00

November 20 To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of John Deane Constable forty nine shillings out of the Towne in part of money and Charges as axepended at the meeting house 02 09 00

November 20 To Capt Samvell Gvild to receive of John Deane Constable eighteen shillings and eighteen pence in full for all his service as Town Treasurer 0 18 08

November 24 To wido Sarah Metcalfe to receive of John Deane Constable twenty nine shillings out of the Town rate twenty fiue shill thereof dve for Deacon Metcalfes service as representative and four shillings dve to Thomas Metcalfe Juñ for work at the meeting house 01 09 00

Nouember 29 To Leut John Baker to receive of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable twenty one shillings out of the Town rate for work in the meeting house and schoole house & for runing Netick line 01 1 0

November 29th To Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery six shillings from Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable for runing Watertown line and laying out a Highway by Nath Hawses 00 06 00

(84) bills payed and returned by the Constable

To Asahell Smith by John Deane Constable five shill & six pence 00 05 6

To Vigelence Fisher by John Deane Constable fifty shillings 02 10 00

To Joshva Fisher by John Deane Constable out of the Town Rate fifty five shillings and four pence 02 15 04

To William Avery by John Deane Constable forteen shill 00 14 00

To Mr John Prentice schoollemaster by John Deane Constable 08 13 05

To Mr John Prentice schollemaster by teall three pounds six shillings as it was received of John Deane Constable which by waight did amount to but two pounds three shillings and three pence 02 03 03

To Mr Prentis schoole Master by Nath Kingsbery ten pounds ten shilli 010 10 00

To Comfort Starr by Nath Kingsbery Const seven shillings 00 07 00

To Benjamin Onion by John Deane Constable four & sixpenc 0 04 06

To Amos Fisher by Nath Kingsbery Constable ninteen shillings 00 19 00

To Leu^{t} Joseph Colburn by Nath Kingsbery Constable six shillings 00 06 00

To Capt Daniell Fisher John Deane Constable fortynin shill 2 9 0

To Capt Samvell Gvild by John Deane Constable eighteen shill & eight pence 18 8

To Sarah Metcalfe by John Deane Constable twenty nine shill 01 9 0

To leut John Baker by Nath Kingsbery Constable twenty one shill 01 00 00

To Sarg^{t} Eleazer Kingsbery by Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable 0 6 0

(85) Bills granted by the selectmen

170$\frac{4}{5}$ Janvary 15 To Benjamin Colburn to receive of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable thirteen shilling ten for Killing a wolfe and three for laying out a highway over Rock medow Brook by the house of Nathanaell Haws 00 13 00

Janvary 15 To Thomas Fuller to receive of Nathanaell Kingsbery Constable seven shillings and sixpence for runing Natick line and Roxbery line 00 07 06

Janvary 24 To Nathanaell Kingsbery to pay unto Ezra Morse two shillings out of the Town Rate for Runing Roxbery line in the year 1701 & year 1704 00 02 00

Febrvary 26 To John Deane Constable to receive out of the Town rate Commited into said Constables hand to Collect twenty shillings for trying Dorchester line waring John Ingles out of Town & carying Richard Woods and for going to William Robinses to run the line 01 00 00

1706 Decem 27 To Ezra Morse to Receive of John Huntting Const 6^{s} for warning a town Meeting 00 06 00

febrvary 26 To Nathanaell Gay to receive of Nath Kingsbery Constable one shill six pence for procuring naills for the schoole house 00 01 6

1705 November 29 To Capt Daniell Fisher to Receive of Benjamin Onion Constable seven pounds three shillings and eight pence in part of pay for his service as Representative in the year 1704 07 03 08

To Capt Daniell Fisher to receive of Eleazer Fisher Constable Six pounds in full of all dve to him for service as Representative and of bills formerly granted which were not payed 06 00 00

December 11 To Vigelence Fisher to receive of the Constables out of the Town rate fifty two shillings for ringing the bell and sweeping the meeting & and a day work to help the carpenter 02 12 00

December 28 To Comfort Starr to receive of Benjamin Onion Constable four shilling for naills and work done in the meeting house 00 04 00

Decem 28 To Joshva Fisher sen^r to receive of Eleazer Fisher Constable two pounds and eleven shilling for entertaineing the Town and the selectmen in the year 1704 . 02 11 0

December 28 To Nathanaell Gay to receive of Benjamin Onion Constable three shillings for answaring the presentment of the Town at Court and for naills for the meeting house 00 03 00

170⅝ febrvary 5 To Michaell Metcalfe to Receive of Benjamin Onion Constab three shillings for runing watertown linee 00 03 00

febrvary 5 To Ephram Wilson to receive of Benjamin Onion Constab two shillings and six pence for his laber at the new Bridg 00 02 00

febrvary 5 To Benjamin Onion to Receive out of the Town rate in his hand five shillings and eight pence for carying Mary Loverin out of Town and for mending the pound 0 05 08

febrvary 7 To Capt Samvell Gvild to receive of Eleazer Fisher Constable twelve shillings for runing the lines between Dedham Wrentham & Mendon in the year 1704 00 12 00

febrvary 11 To Willam Avery to receive of Eleazer Fisher Constable fifteen shillings and six pence for entering assessments in the Town book in the year 1704 & mending the lock and other irons for the meeting house doore 00 15 06

february 2 To Joseph Ellis Junr to receive of Benjamin Onion Constable twelve shillings for runing the lines between Dedham Wrentham and Mendon in the year 1704 This bill is turned to Benj Onion 00 12 00

March i To John Smith to receive of John Fisher Constable six shilling for runing Watertown line and laying out high ways 06 00

March i To John Rice to Receive of John Fisher Constable six shillings for runing Watertown line & laying out highways 06 00

(86) Bills payed and returned by the Constables

To Benjamin Colburn by Nath Kingsbery Constable thirteen shillings. 0—13—0

To Thomas Fuller by Nath Kingsbery seven shillings & sixpence 0—7—6

To Ezra Morse to receive of Nath Kingsbery Constable two shill 00—02—00

The Contra bills is reckoned and deducted out of the Town rate with John Deane Constable 01—00—00

To Nath Gay by Nath Kingsbery Constable one shilling six pence 01—06-

To Cap[t] Daniell Fisher by Benjamin onion Constable seven pounds three and eight pence 07—03—0–

To Cap[t] Daniell Fisher by Eleazer Fisher Constable six pouuds 06—00—0

To Vigelence Fisher by Eleazer Fisher Constable twenty six shill 01—6–

and twenty five shillings and ten pence 01—5—1

To Comfort Starr by Benjamin Onion Constable four shilling 00—04—0

To Joshva Fisher by Eleazer Fisher Constable 00—14—[ ]

To Joshva Fisher by John Fisher Constable 01—16—[ ]

To Nathanaell Gay by Benjamin Onion Constable three shillings 00—03—00

To Michaell Metcalfe by Benjamin Onion Constable three shillings 00—03—00

To Ephram Wilson by Benjamin Onion Const two shillings & six [d] 02—06

To Benjamin Onion out of the Town rate in said his own hand 00—05—08

To Cap[t] Samvell Gvild by Eleazer Fisher Constable twelve shill 12—0

To William Avery by Eleazer Fisher Constable fifteen shillings 15—0

To Joseph Ellis by Benjamin Onion Constable twelve shill 12—00

To John Smith by John Fisher Constable 00—06—0

To John Rice by John Fisher Constable 00—06—0

(37) Bills granted by the selectmen

March i To Comfort Starr to receive six shillings of Benjamin Onion Constable for two days work in the meeting house in making the door and other work 00—06—00

1706 Novem 25 To Vigelence Fisher to receive of John Huntting Constable 02—10—00

payed to Vigelence Fisher by John Huntting Constable 02—10—00

We whose names are hereunto subscribed being deputed by the Town and selectmen of Dedham to lay out a high way from the Country Road to the old saw mill and from thence to the great seder Swamp beyond sd mill doe make return of our doing thereof ·We began between the house of John Farington and the house of Barakiah Lewis at the place Called Makenabs

spring laying the way two Rods wide as it is now drawn untill it Come over the Brook and then turning to the right hand by the side of the hill till we Came to the top of the hill and then turning to the left hand to the fence of said Lewis and so two rods wide by the fence as it now standeth untill we Came to the land of Nathanaell Farington and so by his line untill we Came to the top of the hill by said Faringtons field and there taking in both the ways as they are now drawn to the bottom of the hill and so two rods wide as the way is now most Convenient untill we Come to the brook neer the house of Joseph Hartshorn and then goeing straight up the hill beyond the Brook to the way old drawn which perciell of way said Hartshorn doe Ingadge to make good at his own Charge: if not as the Way is now drawn and so two rods wid as the way is now drawn to the house of Thomas Clap deceased and so runing over Naponset River in the old wrentham Road and so as the way is drawn to the great shaving place at the seder Swamp

Daniell Fisher.
John Deane

–706 Aprill 22 To John Deane to receive of John Fisher late Constable out of the Town rate thirten shillings and three pence in full for his laber in awrning atown meeting laying out a high way and for four shillings and three pence over payed of the Town Rate 00 13 03

(88) Bills payed and returned

To Comfort Starr by Mr Henry White six shillings to the discharge of the Contra bill in the Town meeting 00—06—0

Nov 19th 1706 A bill is granted to Mr John Partrigg schoole master to receive of Michall Metcalfe Constable eight pounds seventeen shillings and Sixpence & to Receive of Joseph Daniels Constable four poun— fourteen shillings and apeny out of the schoole rate in their han—

To John Deane by John Fisher Constable ten shillings and five pence of the Contra bill 00—10—05

also deducted two shillings and ten pence out of the twenty shilings dve from said John Deane of the schoole rate Commited into Said Deans hand to collect 00—02—10

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